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BELATED BLOOM.

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Though late Spring like a miser kept Much wealth of bloom, And hoarded half her treasures up In Winter's tomb, Yet 'neath the sway

Of gentle May Earth seems the richer for delay.

Spring has grown bountiful at last; Her penitence was wrought In raindrops ringed with fragile gold-The tears that April brought; With reformation sweet, She lays her gifts at Summer's feet.

VOLNEY'S VINDICATION.

WRITTEN POR THE NEW YORK CLIPPER BY GEORGE R. SPRAGUE.

"You are just in time, Mr. Volney," said Hester Wier, turning away from her brother's desk as Wil-fred stepped into the library through the French window that opened on the piazza, "I have hunted everywhere for something with which to cul the leaves of this month's Pall Mall Magazine. Have you a knife?"

think this will answer the purpose," replied Volney, taking from his hip pocket a curiously shaped dagger. "I promised Will several days ago to give him this souvenir of my journeyings in In dia; but-forgot it until this morning, when I was

"Packing!" exclaimed Hester, as she took the proffered weapon, glanced at its oddly carved handle, and then drew the glittering blade from its strangely embossed sheath.

"Yes," said Volney, "my luggage is all ready for the dray to convey it down to the wharf. The Pe-frel will be ready for a long voyage by nightfall. and I expect that sanrise fomorrow will find me

ell out to sea."
"I—I regret that you are going to leave Weir ' murmured Hester, as she deftly separated

e pages of her periodical. "I must go, Hester—I mean Miss Weir," exclaimed Volney. "Bemaining here would seem like linger-ing among the ruins of my hopes."

What will Will say when he comes home?" said

'Has he gone away." asked Volney.

"Yes, he was unexpectedly summoned to Lon-don about two hours ago," replied Hester. "He may have to run over to Paris before he returns." Won't you bid him farewell for me :" queried

'Oh, Hester, if I could only stay," cried Volney. "But I cannot—I cannot. Won't you say good-bye to him for me, and tell him I shall never forget the pleasant days I've spent at Weir Manor

"If you are defermined to go-yes," sighed Hes ter.

"Won't you give him that dagger, too ?" continued

"Suppose you put it in the upper right hand drawer of the desk," said Hester, "Lock it in there, enclose the key in an envelope, with a letter to Will, and place the missive in the pigeon hole marked 'mail.' That is where we leave his letters when he

is absent."
"A capital idea," exclaimed Volney. "I sincerely
trust he won't resent my leaving before his return."
"Where are you going." inquired a voice from
the doorway that led into the hall.

They both faced the speaker.

He was a tall, handsome, swarthy man. A rather forced smile parted his fips and relaxed his features. but a dangerous gleam lurked in his eyes, and he nervously toyed with his watch chair.

'Dan !" exclaimed Hester, with heightened color 'Mr. Milne," said Volney, formally, 'Where are you going, Volney?', repeated Milne

repressing some unpleasant emotion, and sauntering to an easy chair near the the empty fireplace.

"For the present, anywhere that fancy may lead me," replied Voluey, "but ultimately across the ocean, back to the place where I spent my child. hood. I have been absent from there too long al

"I'm sorry," said Milne, in a tone that belied his

"If I only had my kodak," exclaimed a slight undersized man, who at that moment entered th library through the same French window that had been Volney's mode of ingress. "A picture of your face. Dan, chastened by an expression of sorrow would be a curio.'

"Thanks, Quest," drawled Milne, maliciously but I thought your miniature British Museum was sacred to shady family histories. Still, I suppose your nature is so similar to your name that every thing is grist that comes to your mill."

"That depends upon circumstances," said Quest venomously. "Now, in your case I should not object to including in my collection both a reproduc tion of your countenance distorted with grief and any scandalous personal adventure that you might favor me with. You doubtless possess an inexhaus thle budget to draw from --

little cad," exclaimed Milne, rising to his feet, and starting in the direction of Quest pale and trembling, darted behind the table in the centre of the room, "I'll teach you —"

"Milne, Milne," remonstrated Volney, stepping in the enraged man, and noticing, for the first lime, that he was under the influence of liquor, "re member there is a lady present.

What have you to do with this affair?" snarled

"Stand out of my way." "No, Milne," said Volney, placing his hand on the

angry man's shoulder, and preventing him from dashing past him. "If you have forgotten how to behave like a gentleman -You will remind me, I suppose," interrupted

Milne. "Who are you, that you should assume such a task. Here, Quest, you Paul Pry, listen while give you a family history for your gallery of infamy—it is the disgraceful pedigree of this arbiter of good anners. He is the son of Herman and Marion Volney, of Volney Close, in Devonshire, where my estate is situated. His father detected his mother

in gross intidelity, murdered her and then com- | don't dare to fight me with weapons like a gentle-

"Dan" cried Hester, rising and starting to leave the library.

One moment, Miss Weir," said Volney, quietly but firmly. "What this man has said is true. He did not tell you, though, that I was an infant at the time, and that my unfortunate father consigned me. and the fortune he left benind him, to the care of an intimate friend in South America, with instruc-tions that I should be taken there and reared in complete ignorance of my heritage of shame. Those commands were carefully obeyed. I grew to manhood bearing my guardian's name, and supposing that I was his son. The tragedy of my babyhood

You rough, you bully.

Volney did not reply to him, but pointed to the "If you have the courage to do so, you'll meet m

on top of Table Cliff at midnight," continued Milne, as he dragged himself-slowly in the direction indicated by Volney. "The moon will be full at that hour. You come from a country where they are skillful with knives. Bring that one on the desk with you. I'll have another as good. It shall be a duel to the death. You may as well be there. It's your life or mine. If you disappoint me, I'll hunt you down and kill you—d'ye hear—kill you."

Throwing open the door, the bruised and bieeding

There were two ways of reaching the boat. One | been replaced by the wine and cigars, "let us drink was by the main road and through the village; the other was along a footpath which led over the top of Table Cliff and down to a point a short distance from the wharf where the Petrel was moored. He chose the latter. In case Milne should be at the place he mentioned, he wanted to meet him. Al though unarmed be fell confident of his ability to

defend himself,

Just before he reached the summit of Table Cliff he paused to light a cigar. It was rather windy so he sought the shelter of a huge rock that low ered above the path. As he was about to throve aside the match with which he had ignited his to the Thisbe.' "Thisbe 'tis, Charters," replied Captain Ashton, and he lifted the glass which Volney had filled and

drained it at a gulp. Voluey evinced no surprise at the name by which the sailor addressed him. He did not even attempt to correct the joviai sea dog. On the contrary he mulated his example, but in a more leisurely and

gentlemanty fashlon "If the Thisbe hadn't spoken the lone spar in the ... ocean, with the insensible man lashed to it, that day after the gale, I wouldn't be sitting here, would 12" remarked Volney, as he wiped his lips and set

lown the wine glass.
"And if you hadn't the constitution of an ox, added Captain Ashton, "your skeleton would be at the bottom of the sea, with a shot fled to the beels. I've seen men have a hard battle for life, but yours was the loughest in my log. . How you ever righted to a level keel again, or how you could ever run up your colors any more, I don't see. Particularly the latter, lad. Say, you didn't know that you were alive for weeks. As for remembering your name, why, I thought you would have to be introduced to I. you were a stranger to it for such a long timet you are all right now."
"Yes," said Volney, "thanks to time and care.

After reminiscences followed sea yarns, which he captain spun until it was time for him to keep an appointment with a leading shipper of the city.

"Well, I must be going, Charters, my boy," he sald, "and as we sall with the tide early in the morning, and there's another bottle left for you to

stay and finish, I'll say good bye to you now,"

The two men shook hands and Captain Ashton
left the stall. Pouring out another glass of wine. and fighting a fresh cigar, Voiney fell to thinking over the past and planning for the future. "Come along, Jim, come along, Quest," exclaimed

metody outside of Volney's stall, "here's a va The speaker and his two companions entered

apartment next to the one occupied by

Volney rose from his chair and started to leave the restaurant. Had be exited himself for a year in South Africa, and adopted an assumed name, to now be confronted by the man who knew the shame of his infancy and his real identity. Nevertheless, he did not carry out his design, but returned to his seat. The curtains that hung over the entrance of the stall in which the strangers were seated were drawn wide apart. He could not exit without passing it. Although he had grown a beard and ustache since leaving England, he dared not risk

This is very cozy, Tom," said one of the trio

Don't you tlank so, Quest?".
"Oh, he's too down on his luck, Jim, to think well of anything," remarked Tom. What is the matter, Quest. Have you lost your best friend?"
"Yes," replied Quest, dolefully, "I've lost a for

"What?" ejaculated Tom and Jim in concert

You both knew," continued Quest, "that I've at ways counted upon one day coming into a good bit of property at home,"
"Yes," said Tom, "there was only one relative be

ween you and the estate a sickly sort of chap-Eve heard you say."
"That's the beggan" wailed Quest, "the ungrate ful, inconsiderate beast. He's he's gone and got

"Whew!" said Jim. "That's bad, precious bad,

but then it is simply what was to be expected."

"No, it isn't," exclaimed Quest wrathily. "Nobody expected it, and it never would have haped but for that infernal murder." "Murder" gasped Tom.
"Yes, murder," repiled Quest. "Here's the story:

There was a woman named Hesier Weir lived near my relative's residence—very beautiful, belie of the county, and all that. My relative, Darcy Quest, a wealthy Devonshire man named Danby Milne, and a party who called himself Volney, bailing from nobody knows where and who sailed up to the village one day in a fine, sea going yacht, were sailors for her hand. To make a long story short. Milne won the girl. He was jealous of Volney, how ever, and one day fold a horrible story about him in her presence. There was a fearful quarrel. Volney orsewhipped his traducer and was in turn chal enged by him to a midnight duel with knives, on op of a cliff. Whether they fought or not nobody knows, but that night Volney salled away in his eacht, and the next morning Milne was found dead at the base of the cliff. Piercing his heart was a curi ous Indian dagger, known to belong to Volney Rather striking way of being relieved of two rivals wasn't it. Darcy appreciated his luck, and tool advantage of it, for, although when Lieft England the lady was sorrowfully obdurate, this evening's mail brought me an announcement of his marriage with her, and the destruction of my hopes of one

lay inheriting the property."
"I don't wonder you feel blue," said Jim

"If the Volney fellow had only stabbed your relalive," remarked Tom. "Perhaps he will come back and do it, and steal the widow."

'No." sighed Quest, "he's dead, too. A sailor turned up one day, who had sailed with him on his yacht. The craft went to the bottom in a gale, and arried with it every soul on board, except the far

"Hard luck," sighed Jim Deuced hard luck," echoed Tom

Then they all drank, and presently Quest forgot his disappointed hopes, and became merrier than either Tom or Jim.

All the while, within sound of their joility, a white faced man sat, with bowed head, and prayed that death might come and end his martyrdon

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Fifkins and Broderick, of the force of nigh nurses in St. — Hospital, New York City, were not impressionable men. Still, their familiarity with suffering had not completely dulled their sym-

'That's a pretty bad case in St. Paul room, Brod.' remarked Filkins, as they sat down to rest during a brief luil in their onerous duties.
"Yes," said Broderick, "fatal, too, if Doctor

Kayle's tooks go for anything. Those cable cars "Captain Ashton," he said, after the dishes had generally make a sure job of it when they start in.



was not revealed to me until a few years ago, when | man staggered out of the library and into the halt | swish of a skirt passing his place of concealment the man who had so faithfully fulfilled the trust imposed in him was upon his deathbed. I should not have resumed my real name—should not have redagger therein, locked it up, and, withdrawing the turned to England—had not certain complications, key, proceeded to carry out the rest of Hester that involved my entire inheritance, compelled me gestion. to do so. I met you and your brother. My story eemed to be buried forever. Had I thought for one moment that it would ever rise to confront me, I ould not have intruded into your family circle did not mean to sail under false colors. 1-1 can-

only apologize." what?" 'exclaimed Hester, "You were Volney dameless. Mr. Volney, what I have heard has only increased my respect for you. You have my symendship, and will always be a welcome

guest at Weir Manor. "Thank you, Miss Weir," said Volney, taking the hand that she proffered him, and bowing with dig-

nified courtesy. Hester gently released herself, and then left the library, without as much as glancing at Milne.
"Close the door, Quest," said Volney, as he faced

"I am responsible for what I said," exclaimed Milne, defiantly, "and am ready to give you any satisfaction you may demand."

As he finished speaking, Volney clutched him by library. Volney then wrote another letter to Will the throat, and forced him across the room to a Weir, explaining the events of the morning. point directly underneath a heavy hunting whip which was suspended from a nail in the wall. Reaching up. Voiney grasped the whip, tore it down and lashed Milne until he was too weary to strike another blow. Then he hurled the victim of

painfully to his feet, "you took me unawares. You | to the yacht.

As he disappeared Volney sat down at the desk, dagger therein, locked it up, and, withdrawing the

Quest, who had closed the door after Milne,

watched him curiously. 'Mr. Volney," he said, as Wilfred placed the letter in the pigeon hole, "I waited until yo to disclaim any complicity in this affair.

I do not accuse you of being a party to it," said And I want to assure you that it will never be mentioned by me," added Quest.
"Use your own judgment in the matter," re-

marked Volney, coldly. "My sojourn in Eugland ends tonight. I shall probably never return. It is a matter of supreme indifference to me whether my name is forgotten or bandled about by the curious scrutinizers of what our courteous friend called

or 'gallery of infamy.' " Oh," stammered Quest, flushing, "I -Pardon me," interrupted Volney, "I have some ere writing to do. Good morning.

Quest could not disregard such an unmistakable Without a word he stalked angrily from the

After he had placed that letter with the one containing the key he left the house, and, going down to the village wharf, completed his arrangent for the departure of the Petrel. It was long aften ightfall when he returned. Then he soughb hi his rage to the floor and restored the instrument of his wrath to its accustomed resting place.

"You coward," groaned Milne, as he struggled slipped out of the house and started on his return

He withdrew further into the shadow and remained sight. Then he resumed his ascent and soon stood e spot designated by Mine. There was no

Volney paused for a few moments to give him time to put in an appearance, and then turned to descend the cliff and gain his yacht. As he did so he noticed something white almost beneath his feet He stooped, picked it up and examined it. searf that he had often seen Hester wear, wrapped around her head, when ont of doors during the Summer evenings. It seemed as though Provi dence had sent him a memento of his lost love Putting it in his pocket, he hurried down to the Petrel. At once seeking his cabin he retired, and ras soon lost in slumber. When he awoke it was broad daylight, and th

vacht was out of sight of land. He took the scarl m his pocket, and carefully deposited it in a place where it was not only secure, but easily obtainable Harry Bloxham's restaurant was a favorite place

of rendezvous among Englishmen exiled by love of gain or other circumstances to Cape Town Spacious, neat, well lighted and divided in merous stalls or compartments, it was an idea place for a social chat. As the partitions between the subdivisions did not reach the ceiting, it was scarcely adapted for the exchange of sacred confidences, or the unfolding of secret plots.

Volney's mission there being solely one of goodfellowship, this peculiarity did not inconvenience him. He was passing a pleasant evening with Captain Jack Ashton, of the bark Thisbe, one of the ck vessels of the South African trade

"Know apything about it?" queried Filkins.
"English gent, I believe, louring the country with his wife," answered Broderick. "They were stopping at the Waldorf, waiting to take the City of New York on her return trip. He was crossing Broadway at that death trap, the Twenty-third

Rreadway at that death trap, the Twenty-third Street corner."
"Hum," grunted Filkins. "Doctor Baird's patient, isn't he "
"Yes," answered Broderick, "he operates on him tomorrow, I hear."
"Tough on the wife," said Filkins, "to have him injured here in a strange country. She stands it well, though."

Just then a chorus of bells sent the two nurses scurrying hither and thither, and their conversation was interrupted for the night.

St. Paul room was the most luxurious and expensive apartment in the establishment, but the dying man upon the snowy bed took no note of his surroundings, no more did the stately, sad visaged woman who sat by his bedside, and watched the flickering dame of life before her. She knew that the operation had not been successful, and that before the dawning of the day she would be a widow. When the house surgeon made his rounds he paused, watched the restiess tossings of his patient for a moment, and then pressed the electric bell. Filkins answered the summons.
"Send the head nurse here," said the surgeon.
"Yes, sir," replied Filkins, "and, doctor, you are want of in the free ward at once. Doctor Cloake sent for you—it's about that suicide case."

"Yery well," said the doctor. "Send the head nurse here, and tell him I want him to remain until I return."

Filkins left the room upon his errand, and the

I return."
Filkins left the room upon his errand, and the surgeon, atter promising the pale faced watcher that he would return as soon as possible, hastened to respond to the call of his professional associate.

He had scarcely left the room when the delirious man raised himself upon his elbows.

"There he comes," he muttered. "There he comes."

comes."
Then he lapsed into indistinct mumbling.
His wife bent over him auxiously. So absorbed
was she in watching her husband that she did not
hear the head nurse's light rap. Nor did she notice
his notseless entrance.
"Who is that following him?" said the dying man.

owho is that following him? said the dying man. "My God, what does she wan here? She has heard about their quarrel. She tells him that he must not fight, but apologize, or she'll never marry him. Heartenses. She is going away. He'll be left hereb. She's gone. Now is my time—he's looking seaward—soft—soft—steady—ha, ha, ha!" The victim of delirium made a savage thrust as he burst into laughter, and then leaned over the edge of the bed and stared at the floor.

"Down—down you go, Dan Milne," he continued, "to the rocks below, with Voiney's darger in your heart. You'll be dead, he'll be either hung or a fuglitive, and I shall marry her—I shall marry her." Then he burst into another paroxysm of mirthless laughter. His wife sprang to her feet, and, gazing at him with horror stricken eyes, started to leach the electric bell.

ing at him with horror stricken eyes, started to 2each the electric bell.

"Hester," said a voice at her shoulder.
She paused and turned to see who had spoken.
Refore her stood a man with snowy hair and beard, in his shirt sleeves and wearing the long white apron of a nurse. She thought she must have imagined that some one spoke her name.

"He is much worse, nurse," she cried. "Call the dector, he is dying......"

doctor—he is dying ——"
"And I am living under the shadow of his crime," "You" she gasped, staring at him with startled eyes, "You what do you mean? My God! you

"You" she gar,"
eyes. "You what do you mean? as you are Wilfred Volney."
She recled and would have fallen but for the supporting arm of Volney, who led her back to the chair from which she had risen.
At this functure the surgeon entered.
"Ah, Charters," he said, "you are here, I see, Why, what's the matter. Has the strain proved too

"I'm afraid so, Doctor," Volney answered.

"And the patient?" continued the surgeon, as he busied himself trying to restore Hester to conscious hess.
"Ha, ha, ha," came from the bed, "down, down, Dan; Volney will hang; Hester will be mine—ha,

i, ha." The laughter grew fainter, and then ceased. "Is he dead?" asked Volney, as the surgeon ap-

proached the bed.
"No," replied the surgeon, "but he won't last ong."

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eried Volney. robably," said the surgeon, "but why do you You are white as a sheet. What makes you

nsk? You are white as a sheet. What makes you trembe so?"
"Oh, grant that he may be conscious long enough to attest my innocence," cried Voluey, raising his hands heavenward." Let the burden of his guilt, which I have borne so long, be lifted from me."
"Amen," said a woman's volce.
The surgeon turned from his patient to Hester, "Doctor," she said, "If there is anything will restore his senses and give them to him long enough to confess his crime and acquit. his man, use it, in Heaven's name use it."
"What does this mean?" asked the surgeon.
They told him, and he promised to do what he could to help them.
In the gray of the morning Darey Quest-died, but he left with Volney an affidavit that established the latter's innocence of the murder of Milne. Many months later Volney, who had resumed his right-tul name and regained possession of his property, sat with Hester in the library of Weir Manor. He had returned to England, faced the charge of murder and been acquitted.
"Do you remember this?" he said, unfolding the seart which he had found that night on the top of Table Cilif" "Why, it's mine," she said, "Host to that night, on the spot where the murder was committed. Diet in the seart which he murder was committed.

Table Clift
"Why, it's mine," she said, "I lost it on that night,
on the spot where the murder was committed. Did
you never succept that I had something to do with
the crime."

the crime,"
"Suspect you," he cried; "Oh, Hester?"
"Mr. Volney" she murmured.
"The love I told you of here, in this very room, is just as strong now as 4hen," he said. "Will it always be in vain."
That evening they strolled together through the Manor garden. The scarf was in its rightful position—draping her tovely head. He had returned it to her although it was his most prectous possession. She had given him something, too. It was the assurance that his love was no longer in vain.

THE CONSUMPTION OF CHAMPAGNE.

Some statistics have been published relating to annual consumption of champagne in world. At a rough estimate it is calculated that an average of twenty-one million bottles of the sparkling wine are drunk every year. England heads the list of countries with the greatest con-

heads the list of countries with the greatest consumption, followed by America, though whether this last is intended to represent the United States alone or the whole of the two divisions of the continent is not stated.

Australia at one time was well to the fore, but it is stated that the recent financial troubles there have had an Ill effect on the consumption of the effervescing beverage. The Russians have always had a partiality for champagne, but France, on the contrary, hardly wets her lips with it. Someone has, however, questioned the genuineness of the champagne that is quaffed in such quantities by the English and Americans. All is not gold that glitters, and it may also be that all champagne buttles do not contain the real article.—London Telegraph.

TREES FIVE CENTURIES OLD. Gericke, the great German forester, writes that

the greatest ages to which trees in Germany are positively known to have lived are from five hun-dred to five hundred and seventy years. For in-stance, the pine in Bohemia and the pine in Norway and Sweden have lived to the latter age. Next omes the silver fir, which, in the Bohemian forests. has stood and thrived for upward of four hundred years. In Baarria the larch has reached the age of two hundred and seventy-five years. Of follage trees the oak appears to have survived the longest. The best example is the everyreen oak at Aschaftenburg, which reached the age of four hundred and ten years. Other oaks in Germany have lived to be from three hundred and fifteen to three hundred and twenty years old. At Aschaffenburg the red beech has lived to the age of two hundred and forty-five years, and at other points to the age of two hundred and twenty wears, the highest known are ash, one hundred and seventy years; birch one hundred and twenty years; elm, one hundred and twenty years; elm, one hundred and twenty years; elm, one hundred and twenty ive years; elm, one hundred and the product of the alder, one hundred and the product of the alder, one hundred and forty-five years.—London Packe Opinion. has stood and thrived for upward of four hundred

Theatrical

In future THE CLIPPER forms will go to press at an earlier hour. Increased pressure upon our columns, and a decided increase in circulation. compel this change, and we earnestly request that all copy shall reach us in good season. All matter should be in this office on Monday, so fur as possible. The outside forms close on Monday, at P. M., the inside forms on Tuesday, at 2 P. M.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

Monday Night's Openings in all the Big Show Towns.

COLDEN CATE CLEANINGS.

San Franciscans to See "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in Operatic Form-Theatricals on the Coast Continue Brisk.
[Special Dispatch to The New York Clipper.]

San Francisco, May 5.—At the Baidwin Theatre 'The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown' was presented last evening for the first time here, and Ed die Foy received an ovation from his many admir ers. The success of the play seems assured for th

two weeks of the engagement.

CALIFORNIA THEATRE.—Primrose & West's Min strels made their first appearance here last evening Morosco's Grand Opera House.—Edmund Col lier made his first appearance here last night in 'Virginius."

COLUMBIA THEATRE .- "Faust" was presented at

this house last evening.

Tivoli Opera House.—"The Chimes of Nor mandy" was the bill at this house. "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in operatic form, is in preparation, and will

be given an early production.

OKPHKUM.—The bill for the current week include John W. Ransone, the Mimic Four, Morton and Mack, the Three Nightons, Carr and Jordan, the Three Marvelles, Adonis Ames, La Belle Carmen, Charlotte Parry, Rosie Rendel and Eleana Leila.

Norts.—Auzerais Hoyte, on account of salaries being in arrears, has closed her engagement at the Alcazar. "My Son in Law" was last week's bill at that house.....Prof. D. M. Bristol's Equescurricu lum is doing well at the Auditorium, and the edu cated horses are the source of much pleasure to hundreds of children.....Zoe Tuttle is dying at the home of her parents, in Oakland, Cal. She is in the last stage of consumption

FROM OTHER POINTS

"An Officer of the Second" Produced In Chicago-The Masonic Temple, of that City, the First of the Roof Gardens to Bid for Public Favor-Opening of the Summer Opera Season in Philadelphia.
[Special Dispatches to the New York Clipper.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 5 .- The theatrical opening last night were all good for so lat. In the season.
......At the Broad Della Fox opened in "Fleur de
Lls," to a full house......A fairly good attendance
at the Chestnut Street Opera House inaugurated the second week of "Excelsior Jr."....."Little Christopher" opened at the Chestnut with a very large attendance and was well received......At the Walnut Aubrey Boucicault, in "The Shaugh-raun," started the second week of his engagement with a fairly good house....."Miss Philadelphia" packed the Park.....Conroy and Fox, in "O'Flarily's Vacation." had a good house at the Audito-

large crowd in attendance and Conductor Hinrichs and the principal members of the company were enthusiastically received...... "A Night Off" was produced at the Girard Avenue before a fairly large audience......A large audience witnessed the production of "Claire and the ence witnessed the production of "Claire and the Forgemaster" at Forepaugh's.....William Morris, in "Michael Strogoff," drew a fair sized audience to the People's......The Standard was well filled, "The Black Flag" being the attraction.....The Bjou was crowded.....Harry Morris' Twentieth Century Maids packed the Lyceum.....The Museum was well attended during the day......The New Trocadero (Tenth and Arch), after alterations, is to open next season, with George Francis, late of the Chinext season, with George Francis, late of the Chi cago Academy of Music, as local manager, and John Mack, late of the Auditorium, as press agent-

Chicago, May 5.—Sarah Bernhardt opened to a large and fashionable audience last evening at Hooley's, and has an advance sale that guarantees great business for the week.....The Masonic Temple Roof Garden had a fine audience when the place opened for the season, Sunday even-ing, and had another good house last night, although a miniature cold wave has interfered some what with the attractiveness of the place with pe ple who forget that it is a vaudeville theatre as well as a roof garden. The attractions offered are of the highest order, and the improvements in the ar-rangements of the place have evoked the enthusiasm of its patrons....."An Officer of the Second" does not seem likely to be a startling success. In unusually competent hands it falls short of win lar favor at the outset. In less competent hand would almost surely die an early death. A good old fashioned Adelphi melodrama, and nothing more, it does not seem the thing to attract audiences during Summer seasons, now so largely devoted to light opera and vaudeville Away up under the roof was where they packed the late comers to the Chicago last evening. It was the first day of continuous performance at this house and the crowd could not be accommodated las-night. Jay Ryall and Bill Antink, the special offi cers, are the sole survivors of the old Chi cago staff; all the others were removed to make room for the staff from the Olympic which came over with George Castle John Drew had a good audience last night when he presented "The Squire of Dames."

Tony Pastor is drawing good houses at the Haymarket.....The Hopkins has a strong hold on the vaudeville lovers and had a good house last night, although the change in policy at the Chicago is likely to reduce the business at the Hopkins ma terially. . . "Twelve Temptations" played to small ss and will close with the end of this week at the Schiller Corinne, at the Alhambra, opened to a large house Sunday afternoon, had a still larger one at night, and has good prospects for the week.

Boston, May 5 .- Last night's openings were rather quiet, the only novely being "The Great Northwest," which had its first production here at the Columbia, pleasing a large audience Jame A. Herne found a hearty welcome awaiting him at the Boston Theatre, where he produced his "Shore Acres."...... It was Kellar's first night at the Bos ton Museum, where he played to a good house....
"The Sporting Duchess," at the Hollis Street Thea

tre, opened its second week with a house, and "Robin Hood," sung by the Bostonians, likewise opened a second week at the Tremont....Elita Proctor Otis, in a second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well standard or the second week of "Carmen," played to a well second week of "Carmen," played

New Theatre had a good patronage day and night.....The Grand Opera House, the Howard and other popular priced houses did reported good business......Kate Stokes-Stetson, widow of the late John Stctson, died 4, at her home in this city, from nervous prostration. The funeral will occur
6, in New York.

WASHINGTON, May 5 .- Digby and Laura Joyce Bell opened at Rapley's National Theatre, in "A Midnight Bell," and were greeted by a large house.Lizzie Evans, in "A Romance of Coon Hollow," had a good opening at Rapley's Academy of Music.....Sam T. Jack's Extravaganza Co., in "The Buil Fighter," had a fair house at Kernan's Lyceum Theatre....Albaugh's Lafayette Square Opera House had a local attraction that packed the house.....Allen's Grand Opera House was dark.

LOUISVILLE, May 5.—The Grand Opera House wa LOUISVILLE, May 5.—The Grand Opera House was crowded last night to witness the return of "A Twentieth Century Girl.".....Mrs. Cob, a local celebrity, drew a good house at Macauley's...... Jack McAuliffe's Athletic Co. opened Sunday night, to a good sized house. The Monday night house was fair.....The Irwin Bros.' Specially Co. drew a well filled house at the Buckingham.....The People's Theatre opened to a fair house.

ST. LOUIS. May 5 .- Ada Rehan opened last night St. Louis, May 5.—Ada Rehan opened last hight in "The Countess Gucki," to a good house, at the Olympic.....Xilsson's Aerial Ballet and Congress of Novelties packed the Standard twice Sunday."The Midnight Special" played to two good

cool houses at Hagan's, Sunday, making a decided . . Dan McCarthy, in "The Cruiskeen Lawn," played to two good Sunday houses.....Jas. J. Corbett opened at Havlin's last night.

KANSAS CITY, May 5 .- Rain interfered with the openings Sunday afternoon, but business was O. K. at night..... The attractions are: "The Derby Winner" at the Grand, the Woodmaid Theatre Co. at the Ninth Street Theatre, and "The Hidden Hand" at

NEW JERSEY.

Jersey City .- "On Erin's Shores," a play by tichael J. Moroney, will have a presentation at the cademy week of May 4. The piece is in four acts, and he company includes James W. Regan, M. S. Alsop, Edwund G. Moroney, W. D. Stone, H. W. Storm, Olive

Richfield, Swan and Bambard, Coulson Sisters, the Ger-man Rose, Thomas and Quinn, Cohan and Maulsby, Ned Bennett, Whitney Bros., Edward Estus and Carrie Eziel.

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Willow Havek Casino.—The talent billed for this week comprises Emma Ravelle, Allen and Delmaine, Harry Weaver, Carey and Murray, Mattle Aubrey, Frank Scott and Bella doubl.

Norres.—Barnum & Bailey had the usual crush, matinee and night, Leon Washburn's Circus opened for the season and the season of the sea

Lynott, will have its first presentation on any stage at the Catholic Club House 7.

Newark.—A. M. Palmer's Company, in "Trilby," drew fairly good houses to Miner's Theatre last week, considering the lateness of the season. The house is rented this week, with the exception of Saturday, May 9, matines and evening, when "An Artists" Model? will be given for the first time in Newark. It is reported their last appearance in America. This will close the regular season at this house. The rentals are: 4. "The Politician," by the Standard Comedy Co., for the benefit of the Republican Indian League; 5, 6, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Benjamins, children's carnival; 7, 8, amateur performances for the benefit of St. Michael's and St. James' Hospitals.

Jacons'.—Ward and Vokes played the week ending 3 to moderate business. The present week is the last of the moderate business. The present week is the last of the moderate business. The present week is the last of the moderate business. The present week is the last of a moderate business. The present week is the last of a moderate business. The present week is the last of the will probably fill it, with good realist. There was a fairly good audience present. Hunouf Weber's Olympia closed a fairly good week 2. The show closed on that date, and Manager Weber says that, notwithstanding the shortness of his season, it has been both pleasant and prosperous. Islam's Getoroons are on the programme this week, and if they cause anything like the sensation which they did here earlier in the season, the house will hardly hold the audience. They began with a full house 4. Miaco's City Club Co. II and week.

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Elizabeth .- At the Lyceum Theatre "Coon Hollow" came April 28, to small audience. Robert Hilliard came May 2,tolight business. This attraction closed the season at this house. "The Rainmakers" close by having canceled. Manager Ormond and the ushers expect to have a benefit before the end of the month. The season's

was a benefit before the end of the month. The season's usiness has not been very heavy.

Mass. 11-16. Bayton's, Corse—Sellen, Mass. May 4-9, Boston, Mass of Creat Horizon, and July. "The Mininght Band, I, was enthus lastically entered with the popular prices. The concerts will be repeated every popular prices. The concerts will be repeated every popular prices. The strong strong and July. "The Mininght Boil" care to the popular prices of the properties will be repeated every popular prices. The Mininght Boil" care to the prices of the properties will be repeated every popular prices. The Mininght Boil" care to the properties will be repeated every popular prices. The Mininght Boil" care to the properties will be repeated every popular prices. The Mininght Boil" care to the Miningh Mass. 1.1-16. Seattle 8, 9.

Robson's, Corse—Seaten, Mass., May 4-9. Robson's, Stuart—Milwaukee, Wis., May 7-9. Robson's, Stuart—Milwau

Hoboken.-Emily Bancker opened at the Lyric ay 4, in "Our Flat," for the week. Business last week May 4, In "Our Flat," for the week. Business last week was medium.
DALY'S STAR.—The International Vaudeville Co., under the management of Louis Lesser, holds forth at this house for the week. Next week, the Twentieth Century Sports, under the management of Frank Hufman. Business last week was satisfactory.
PHILLIPS CASIND—DOL Stanley, Clarice Vance, Dolly Martin, Emma Bell, Kitty Smith, Miss Ardell and Tom Darby.

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Paterson.—Isham's Octoroons scored a big success at the Opera House April 27-29. The Mrs. Gen. Tom Thumb Co. had only tair houses 30 and remainder of the week. "The Scout of the Shenandoah's comes 7-9. Waite's Comedy Co. II and week.

EDEN THEATEN.—Business was good at this house 27 and week. The arrivals are Mile. Rialta, Harland and Rollison, the Chapman Sisters, Senator Frank Bell, Merittand Sheldon, James and Jessie Cole. Geo. H. Simmons. Brannon and Daly, the World's Trio, Harry Hastings and the Reed Birds.

BRIOT THEATEN.—Ed. Rush's Co. had fairly good houses 27 and week. The Washburn Sisters' Co. is billed for 4 and week.

BARNUM & BAILEY exhibit here 5.

Trenton.—"The Ideals" did a good business April 27 and week, at Taylor's Opera House Lillian Russell comes 4, "An Artist's Model" 8, Minnie Lester Co. It and week. Bob Hunting's Circus is booked here for II, 12. The last performance of the season at the Trenton Museum was the attaches benefit, April 27, which netted a neat sum.

ARKANSAS. -[See Page 151]

Little Rock .- At Capital Theatre "A. Box of at the Tremont...Elita Proctor Otis, in a second week of "Carmen," played to a well filled house....."A Florida Enchantment" started on its second week at the Park with fair business.......A very large audience filled the Castle Square Theatre to listen to "The Huguenots.".... Keith's

On the Road

All Routes Must Reach Us Not Later Than Monday.

DRAMATIC.

Anderson Theatre—Marion, Ind., May 4-9, Dunkirk 11-16.
Andrews', Wm. C.—Cleveland, O., May 11-13.
"Alabama"—Brooklyn, N. Y., May 4-9, Baltimore, Md., Ch. Andrews', Wm. C.—Cleveland, O., May 11-13.
Alabama'' - Brooklyn, N. Y., May 4-9, Baltimore, Md., Il-16.
A Florida Enchantment'' - Boxton, Mass., May 4-9.
Alvin Joslyn' - Rochester, N. Y., May 6, Hamilton, Can., 7, Ottawa 12.
Alver, D. Model'' - Baltimore, Md., May 6, Wilmington, Del. 7, Trenton, N. J. S., Newark 9.
An Officer of the Second'' - Chicago, Ill., May 4, Indefinite.

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Burke's, John J., "The Doctor"—Minneapolis, Minn.,
May 3-9.

Bernhardt's, Sarah—Chicago, Ill., May 4-9. Cleveland, O.,
11, 12. Boffalo, N. V., 13. Rochester Is. Syacuse 15.

Boucicault's, Aubrey—Philadelphia, P.a., May 4-9.

Blande's Summer Stock—Kansac City, Mo., May Ill, indefinite.

Barry's, Wm.—Detroit, Mich., May 3-9. Niagara Falls, N.
Y., 11, Hornelleville 12. Elmira 13.

Betts Losee—Exter, N. H. May 9. Derry 11-16.

Barrett's, Junn—Euris, M. H. May 9.

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Breven, J. M. H. May 9.

Brownies"—Hartford, Ct., May 7, 8.

Black Sheep"—N. Y. City May 4-9.

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"Breezy Time"—Princeton, Ill., May 6, Streator 7, Joliet 8, Pullman 9, South Chicago 10.

Coombe', Jane—New Haven, Ct., May 4-9.

Corrol's, Jon. Plavers—Uniontown, P.a., May 4-9.

Conny & Fox's—Philadelphia, P.a., May 4-9.

Collins', Myra—Antwer, N. Y., May 11-16.

"Chimmie Fadden"—N. Y. City May 4-16.

"Coom Hollow"—Washington, D. C. May 4-9. Omaha, Neb., 10-12. Leadville 13.

"Dr. Rill"—New Haven, Ct., May 7-9.

Darkest Russia"—Saginaw, Mich., May 7.

"Derby Winner"—Kansac City, Mo. May 4-9.

"Devil's Auction"—Detroit, Mich., May 4-9.

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8, 9.
Kempton Comedy—Leadville, Col. May 4-16.
L Conis', Carrie—Binghanton, N. 7, May 4-9.
Lee-Doane—Bozeman, Mon., May 6, Great Falls 7,
Helena 9, Butte Il-13, Anaconda 14, Phillipsburg 15, MisLa Faratta', Ph. soula 16.

La Fayette's, Ruby—Alverado, Tex.. May 6, Midlothian 7,
Mansfeld 8, Ionia 9, Weatherford 11, Mineral Wells 12,
Canyon 13, Cisco 14, Dublin 15, Grandbury 16.
Langdon Dramatic—Lexington, Va., May 4-9, Staunton
11-16.
Lyceum Theatre, Sharphayle, Toroko Kor, Mondali,

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Lyceum Theatre, Sharpley'a—Topeka, Kan., May 4-16.

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Lind of the Midnight Sun'—N. Y. City May 4-9.

Land of the Midnight Sun'—N. Y. City May 4-9.

M. New York'—Scranton, Pa., May 6, Baltimore, Md., 11-16.

Little Christopher'—Philadelphia, Pa., May 4-16.

Morrison's, Lewis—Harlem, N. Y., May 4-9.

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Morrison, D. C., 11-16.

McCarthy's, Dan—St. Louis, Mo., May 4-9, Kansas City 10-16. ington, D. C., 11-16.

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Murphy's, Tim—Minneapolis, Minn., May 6, St. Paul 7-9, Mack's, Andrew—N. Y. City May 4-9.

Mather's, Margaret-Cleveland, O., May 4-9.

Mills', Josie—Quebec, Can., May 4, Indefinite.

"Miss Jerry"—Fremon, Neb., May 6, Lincoln 8, 9.

"Merry Makers"—Easton, Pa., May 4-9.

"Midnight Special"—St. Louis, Mo., May 4-9.

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"Midnight Sell"—Washington, D. C., May 4-9, Brooklyn, N. Y., 11.

"Miss Brown," No. 1—Baltimore, Md., May 4-9, Brooklyn, N. Y., 11.

"Miss Brown," No. 2—San Francisco, Cal., May 4-16.

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Nobles', Miton—Seattle, Wash., May 4-23.

"New Dominion"—Omaha, Neb., May 6, Burlington, Ja.

Minneapolis 14-16.

Olcol's, Chauncey—Newburg, N. Y., May 6, 7, Albany 14-16.

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"Our Flat"—Hoboken, N. J., May 4-9.

"Old Homestead," Thompson'a—Waltham, Mass., May 6, Fall River 13, Providence, R. I., J. 14-16.

"Our Flat"—Hoboken, N. J., May 4-9.

"Old Prouty"—Providence, R. I., May 4-9, Boston, Mass., 11-16.

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O., 11-10. Rehan's, Ada—St. Louis, Mo., May 4-9, Kansas City 11, Omaha, Neb., 12. Rhea's—Keokuk, Ia., May 6, Burlington 9, Omaha, Neb.,

Roea S.—Reckuk, Ia., May 6, Burlington 9, Omana, Neb., 17-19.

"Roanoke"—Rochester, N. Y., May 8.

"Roalroad Ticket," Freeman's—Miles City, Mon., May 6, Glendive 7, Mandan, N. D. 8, Fargo 9.

Sackett Forter—Toledo O., May 4-9.

Salvini's, Alex.—Kalamazoo, Mich., May 6, Jackson 8, Geneva, N. Y., 12.

Sherman's, Robert—Montgomery City, Mo., May 4-9, Moberly 11-16.

Stapleton's, John—St. Paul, Minn., May 6, Minneapolis 7-9, Chicago, Ill., 11-16.

Sothern's, E. H.—Brooklyn, N. Y., May 11-16.

Stanlford's, Flora—Clearfield, Pa., May 4-9, Curwinsville II-16.

11-16. Sawtelle Dramatic-New London, Ct., May 6, Westerly, R. 1., 7-9. outhers Price-Andover, O., May 4-9, Greenville, Pa., II-16. Stuart's, Julian-Chicago, Ill., May +13. Sam'l of Posen"-Wichita, Kan., May 8, Omaha, Neb. 13-15.

Spider and Fly"-Boston, Mass., May 4-9, Providence, R. I., 11-16. I., 11-16. Scout of the Shenandoah"—Paterson, N. J., May 7-9. Side Tracked," Edmund's—Toledo, O., May 3-9, Cleve-land 11-16. Shore Acres."—Boston, Mass., May 4-16. Sunshine of Paradise Alley"—N.Y. City May 11, indennite. Si Plunkard'-St. Paul, Minn., May 7-9, Minneapolis

10-16

"Sinbad" - Duluth, Minn, May II, 12

"Superba" - Manchester, N. H., May 6, 7, Haverhill, Mass., 8, 9, Worcester II-16

"Sporting Duchess" - Boston, Mass., May 4, indefinite.

"Ducker", Ethel-Fall River, Mass., May 4, indefinite.

"The Ideals, Himmelein" - Long Branch, N. J., May 4-9, Atlantic City II-16.

Taylor's, Irene-Ebensburg, Pa., May 4-9, Dunlin II-16.

Ti-16.

"Trip to Chinatown," No. 1—Traverse City. Mich., May 6, Manistee 7, Big Rapids 8, Howard City 9, Ionia 1, "Trip to Chinatown," No. 2—Salt Lake City. May 7, 8.

"Tweetieth Century Girl"—Louisville, Ky., May 7, 9.

"Turkish Rath"—Ironton, O., May 6, Gallipolis 7, Pomeroy 8, Marietta 9, McConnellsville 11, Cambridge 12, Coshocton 13, Mansheld 14, Norwalk 15, Sandwisky 16, "The Kodak"—Rochester, N. Y., May 4-9, Newark 12, Lyona 13, "Thoroughbred"—N. Y. City May 4, Indefinite. "Twelve Temptations"—Chicago, Ill., May 4-9.

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"The Rivais"—New Haven, Ct., May 6, N. Y. City 7, Philadelphia, Pa., 8, Washington, D. C., 9, Louisville, Ky., 12, Chicago, Ill., 14, 15.

'Trilby, 'No. 1—N. Y. City May 4-9.

'Too Much Johnson'—N. Y. City May 4, indefinite.

'U and I'—Helena, Mon., May II, Great Palls 13, Butte

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'Uncle Tom's Cabin,'' Salter & Martin's—Chicago, Ill.,

May 4-9.

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Wellesley's Marie—Quincy, Ill., May 4-9, Clinton, 1a., Il-16.
Webber Dramatic—Harrisburg, Pa., May 4-9, Warren's, Emma—Macon Ga., May 4-9, Rome Il-16.
Warren's, Emma—Macon Ga., May 4-9, Rome Il-16.
Ward 4 Vokes—Milford, Mass., May 6, Portsmouth, N. H., Il., Lowell, Mass., Laconis, N. H., 2, Manchester Il, Lowell, Mass., 12, River Point, R. L. 13, Norwich, Ct., 14.
Wonderland Comedy—Kansas City, Mo., May 4-16.
"Wife low Wife"—Pittston, Pa., May 6, Minneapolis Il0-16.
"Wife for Wife"—Pittston, Pa., May 6, Freeland 7-9, Binghamton, N. Y., Il-16.
"World Against Her." Agnes Wallace-Villa's—Toledo, O., May 4-9, N. Y. City Il-16.

MUSICAL.

Bostonians—Boston, Mass., May 4-16.

Corinne—Chicago, Ili., May 4-16.

Chicago Marine Band—Jollet, Ill., May 6, Peoria 7, Bloomington 8, Lincoln 9, Springheld 10, Jacksonville II,
Quincy 12, Keokuk, Ia., 13, Burlington 14, Muscatine
15, Davenport 16.

Canadian Jubilee Singers—Watertown, N. Y., May 6, 7,
Carthage 8, Philadelphia 9, 10, Antwerp II, Gouverneur
12, Canton 13, 14, Potsdam 15-17.

Pox's, Della—Philadelphia, Pa., May 4-9, Washington, D.
C., Il-16.

Gionzalee Opera—Wheeling, W. Va., May 4-16.

C., 11-16. Gonzalez Opera—Wheeling, W. Va., May 4-16. Hinricha' Opera—Philadelphia, Pa., May 4. indefinite. Hopper's, De Wolf—N. Y. City May 4. indefinite. Kohman's Concert—Whitney's Point, N. Y., May 6, Green 7. 8. Kohman's Concert-Whitney's Point, N. Y., May 6, Green 7, 8.
Russell's, Lillian-Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 6, Scranton 7, Wilmington, Del. 8, Philadelphia, Pa., 11-16.
Seidl's Orchestra-Milwaukee, Wis., May 6, St. Paul, Minn., 7, Minneapolis, 8, Omaha, Neb., 9, Denver, Col., 11-13, Salt Lake City, U., 15, San Francisco, Cal., 18-30.
Sousa's Band-Lewiston, Me., May 6, Bangor 7, Rockland 8, Portland 9, New Bedford, Mass., II, Fall River 12, Providence, R. I., 13, New Haven, Ct., 14, Philadelphia, Pa., 15-16.
Tavary Opera—N. Y. City May 11-23.
Wilbur Opera—Troy, N. Y., May 4-9.
Yaw's, Helen Beach—Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 7.

VARIETY. VARIETY.

"Bull Fighter"—Washington, D. C., May 4-9.
City Club—N. Y. City May 4-9. Newark, N. J., 11-16.
Cyrene Vaudeville—Albany, N. Y., May 4-9.
City Sports.—N. Y., City May 11-16.
French Folly—Providence, R. I., May 4-9. Brooklyn, N. Y., 11-16. City Sports—N. Y., City May 11-16.
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Flynn & Sheridan's Rig Sensation—Boston, Mass., May 4-9, Lowell II-13, Fall River 14-16.
Harry Morris Entertainers—Philadelphia, Pa., May 4-9.
Irwin Brox.—Louisville, Ky., May 4-9.
Islam's Octoroons—Newark, N. J., May 4-9.
Ington, D. C., 11-18.—Wilmington, Del., May 7-9, Washington, D. C., 11-18.
Lynch's Specialty—Fishkill, N. Y., May 6.
Morris' 20th Century Maids—Philadelphia, Pa., May 4-16.
New York Stars—Boston, Mass., May 4-9, Montreal, Can., 11-16.

Lynch s. Chentury Maids—Philadeipnia, r.a., s. 18, r. Morris 20th Century Maids—Philadeipnia, r.a., s. 18, r. Morris 20th Century Maids—On, May 6. New York Stars—Boston, Mass., May 4-9, Montreal, Can., 11-16.

Night Owls—Brecklyn, N. Y., May 4-9.

Pastor's, Tony (road)—Chicago, Ill., May 4-16.

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Summitty Ill., Elwood 16.

Watson Sisters—Buffalo, N. Y., May 4-9.

Washburn Sisters—Paterson, N. J., May 4-9.

White Crook, "Pastern—Harlen, N. Y., May 4-9.

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White Crook," Western—Gladstone, Mich., May 6. Escanaba7, Manistypue, S. Sull. Ste Marie 9, St. Ignace 12, Chebogan 12.

"Zero"—N. Y. City May 4-9.

MINSTRELS.

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"Darkest America".—Sui th's Falls, Can., May 6, Perth 7, Peterboro 8, Belleville 9, Toronto 11-16.

Giy Bros. —Newport, N. Y., May 6, Polgeville 7, Little H. Henry's—Lincoln, Ill., May 6, Springfield 7, Jackson-ville 8, Alton 9, St. Louis, Mo., 10-16.

Price's Billy—Two Rivers, Wis. May 6, Manitowoc 7, Sheboygan 8, Plymouth 9, Fond du Lac 10.

Primrose 4 West's—San Francisco, Cal., May 4-9, Richards & Pringle's—Portland, Ore, May 7.

CIRCUSES. CIRCUSES.

Barnum & Bailey—Plainfield, N. J., May 6, Newark 7, West. Chester, Pa., 8, Wilmington, Del., 9, Washington, D. C., Il, 12, Baitimore, Md., 31, 14, York, Pa., 15, Lancaster 16, Burton's, Billy Barlow—Rysn, I. T., May 7, Commanche 8, Duncan 9.

Baker & Earnhaut's—Centralia, Ill., May 4-9.

Bond Bros.—Sait Lake City, U., May 8, 9,

Forepaugh Sells Bros.—Wheeling, W. Ya., May 6,

Goodrich—Derby, Ct., May 6, Seymour 7, Westville 8,

Great Syndicate—Leadville, Col., May 6, Sait Lake City,

Hunting's—Coatesyille, Pa., May 6, Downingtown 7,

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St. Paul .- At the Metropolitan Opera House Frederick Warde had only fair business April 26, 27, 28, n "King Lear," 29 "Virginius" and matinee 29 "Julit s 'assar." The John Stapleton Co. had good business 30-Casar." The John Stapleton Co. had good business 30-May 2 in "Americans Abroad." The company plays 'The Charity Ball' 3-6. "A Texas Steer" comes 7-9, James O'Neil, in repertory, 10-13. GrayD.—Business was only fairly good with John J. Burke, in "The Doctor," week of April 26. Eugene O'Nourke, in "The Wicklow Postman," with John L. Sullivan and Paddy Ryan as side attractions, comes May Bopkia —For week of 4: McCabe and Daniels, Murj hy and Raymond, Evans and Devees, Daisy Wade, Varqo and Harry Osgood. Business good.

OLYMPIC.—J. C. Sodini has succeeded to the proprieto ship of this house, the change occurring I, and he will conduct a variety theatre as has been run heretofore. The bill for week of 4 could not be definitely announces. Notes.—Manager Louis N. Scott is still absent in N. w York, leaving Treasurer Beech in command. ... The annual benefit of the St. Paul Press Club occurred at the Mctropolitan Opera House, May I, at 2 p. N., and was a Mctropolitan Opera House, May I, at 2 p. N., and was a were among the list of volunteers.

Duluth.—At the Lyceum Theatre Stuart Robson gave "Mrs. Ponderbury's Past" April 29, 30. The audiences were not as large as the very clever play and company deserved. Rhea had poor business 27, 23, in "Nell Gwynne" and "Josephine." Fred'k Warde had a very light house on his last night, 25, when "Virginius" was the attraction. "King Lear." 24, had a fair sized audience. "A Texas Steer" was the attraction for May I. James O'Neill 7, 8, "Sinbad" II, 12, which will close the season.

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Parkor Thratre.—The business for the week 27 was very good. All of last week's people hold over, but next week will show a new company.
NOTES—Rhea visited the High School and favored the pupils with a reading of her paper on Napoleon. The school chorus rendered a selection, then Mile. Rhea recited "The Legend of the Forget Me Not" and a little French poem. An impromptu reception was held after wards. ... The two concerts by the city band in the parilion. So, were well attended ... Clayton's Jubilee Singers will appear here May 4.

Minneapolis.—At the Metropolitan Opera House "A Texas Steer" opened May 3, for four nights, and the John Stapleton Co. returns 7, to finish the week, playing "The Charity Ball." Clars Schuman's Orchestra will be here the first half of the week of 10, and James O'N-ill will open 14. The John Stapleton Co. and Frederick Warde divided the week of April 26, to fair business only. BLOUT THANKE.—Gus Hill's Novelties were well received 26 and week. John J. Burke came May 3, in "The Doctor." "Si Plunkard" 10-16.

CLARA LOUISE THOMESON read "The Climax" at Masonic Temple 1, to a good house, in spite of inclument weather... Willard Fatten, of this city, has written a new oratorio, which is highly commended by leading musicians of Chicago and the Twin Cities.

Variety and Minstrelsy

MANAGER LOUIS LESSER began the tour of the International Vaudeville Co. at Daly's Star Theatre, Hoboken, N. J., May 4, its membership including Annie Hart, Guibal and Lily Ortiz, Meyer Cohen, Doian and Lenharr, Agnes A. Miles, Conroy and McFarland, Tiddlewinks and Al. Lubin. A tour of

McFarland, Tiddlewinks and Al. Lubin. A tour of neighboring towns and the resorts is contemplated. ARTHUR AND CHARLES LEONHART sail for London Eng., to fulfill an engagement, May 6.

PAQUERETTE has been engaged for six weeks on the Orpheus circuit, opening June 7, at San Francisco, Cal. Lawrence & Harrington have also been secured for a like period, opening June 14.

LOTTIE WEST SYMONDS is in St. Mary's Hospital, Detroit, Mich., with inflammatory rheumatism. After steady engagements of forty-six weeks the Houdinis will rest the entire Summer.

MAURICE JACOBS AND JAMES LOWEY will take out the Merry Maidens' Co. in 1897.

ANNIE HART'S benefit at Terrace Garden, this city, May 3, proved a big. success. Among those who appeared were; J. W. Kelly, Sam Bernard, Minnie Schult, Weston Sisters, George Graham and Steve Brodie, who rendered a recitation. An enjoyable time was spent by those present during the entertainment, as well at the reception that followed. A large gathering of theatrical people were in evidence.

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WM. S. CLARK will assume the position of advertising agent for Terrace Garden, this city, for the Summer, on May 18.

JOSEPH OPTENHEMER'S "Zero" Co. will close at Newark, N. J., May 23.

ALF. HONEY, late of the team of Honey and Murphy, triple bar performers, has Joined hands with Clarence Mason.

MUSIC HALL, Warrensburg, N. Y., was destroyed by fire May 3. It was a three story wood structure, occupied by stores and offices. The hall was located on the third foor. Emerson & Packard were the managers. Loss, \$6,000.

JAMES HOWARD, of Howard and St. Clair, mourns the loss of his mother, who died May 3. The team canceled their engagement at the Kensington Theatre, Philadelphia, Pa.

LILLY LAUREL, who is at present resting at her home, Chicago, Ill., because of ill health, is reported to be rapidly recovering and expects to soon be able to begin an extended engagement in this city.

ALLEN AND WEST have been engaged to present their musical act next week at the Star Theatre, Cleveland, O.

JAMES F. SULLIVAN has signed for twenty weeks with the Metropolitan Burlesque Co., to play Summer resorts.

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The Three Sisters Mahr have joined F. F. Proctor's Road Co., opening in Albany, N. Y., May 4.

D. W. Sanders' performing dogs have just closed a successful engagement at Kohl & Middleton's Clark Street Museum, Chicago, Ill.

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JORDAN AND WILLIAMSON closed a four weeks' engagement with the "Spider and Fly" Co., and have Joined Scribner & Smith's Circus.

LEUA TRIMBLE, of Morris' Twentieth Century Maids Co., and the Tribby of the show, writes the publishers, Jos. W. Stern & Co., that "Poverty Row" and "My Little Circus Queen" now divide the honors and come in for an equal share of applause in her specialty. She also states that she has just added "Mother Was a Lady" to her reperfory, and is singing it at the Lyceum Theatre, Philadelphia, with the happlest results.

WATSON AND DUPRE are making a hit at the Trocadero Music Hall, this city, this week, and will soon be on their way to San Francisco, Cal., to fill a six weeks' engagement at the Orpheum Theatre, During the season of 1897-88 the Watson's Trocadero Sporting Girls will take the road, under the management of Clark G. Ball and W. B. Watson.

GLEASON AND CINNIGHAM write from Fall River that Harry S. Miller's coon song. "The Ring Tail Colored Band," is the hottest thing they have ever done or heard. They say it is another week for them at the same house. O'Day and Mack, Gussie Broache, Jessel Cole, Scanlon and Stevens and many others give a similar report.

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MERKER AND MACK have just closed a season's engagement with Dumont's Minstrels, at Philadelphia, Pa.

ELSIE ADAIR is doing "My Dad's the Engineer," "If They'd Only Write and Ask Me to Come Home," and "I'I Not Go Out With Riley Any More" with stereopticon views.

HERMAN SCHLOSS, the well known pianist and manager, is located at Spaulding & Gray's Music Publishing House, New York City.

THE PUBLISHERS inform us that the success of the song, "Mother Was a Lady," is certainly assured, and that Lottle Glison's hit at every performance with this song for the past five weeks at Proctor's is only one instance among many. Meyer Cohen, barltone, has telegraphed the publishers that this song was most decidedly effective at Hyde & Behman's, and Howard and Emerson, Myrtle Tressider, Ola Hayden, Lizzle Raymond, Dan Quinn, Gertrude Mansfield, Annie Hart and many other equally well known performers, who were fortunate enough to secure advance copies, are reported as staling that they are highly gratified with its success. The publishers, losh were fortunate enough to secure advance copies, are reported as staling that they are highly gratified with its success. The publishers, body is a complex of the Process of the Song, "Oh, Mister Austin," has proved a favorite in the West.

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KATE HELSTON, of the "Two Old Cronies" Co., left Chicago, Ill., quite suddenly on April 29, having been called home to the bedside of her mother, who is very sick, in this city.

"MY LITTLE CIRCUS QUEEN," latest by Max S. Witt, composer of "Grace O'Moore," is one of the features of the repertories of Lottle Gilson, Bonnie Thornton, Sadie Fox, Mamie Shepard, Dot Lathrop, Annie Lloyd, Leona Lewis, Agnes A. Miles, Carrie Scott any many others.

GLADYS VAN is singing "Every Night in Central Park" in her specialty, where it has proven a decided hit.

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Prof. Fred Macart's Dog, Monkey and Baboon Show is at Poll's Theatre, New Haven, Ct., this week. The act is fuller than it was last season and presents several novel features, including the performance of two large baboons, the boxing dogs, the riding monkeys, the dog pantomime, etc. It is an interesting and amusing exhibit of animal talent.

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THE AUBER SISTERS PEPORT that "Down in Hogan's Alley" is still a success, and that the audience take to it on the first hearing. Geneva Ardell seconds this report.

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THE COON SONG HIT, "I've Been Hoodooed," by Gussie L. Davis, will shortly be published by Spaulding & Gray.

ALLEN MAY, the first to sing "The Lost Child," with illustrated views from life, is successfully introducing, in the same manner, "The Teacher and the Boy," by the same authors, Edw. B. Marks and Jos. W. Stern.

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Notes from Vernelo's Merry Co.—We are turng Pennsylvania to good business, everyone is well and happy, and the season is drawing near a close, after which Mr. Vernelo will go under canvas for the Summer season. The roster; E. M. Vernelo, Madome Inez, Wm. McShaffrey, Chas. Bachtel, and Hull Bros. Edward S. Johnson, contortionist, joined us April 28, and Hattie McKay, contortion dancer, will join in two weeks.

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Rosalle is making a mark with Geo. M. Cohan's new coon song, "Hot Tamale Alley."

At the close of Kate Putnam's season, in Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. Eva Thatcher returned to her home, in Denison, O., for two months, after which she will play a few vandeville engagements.

THE GAPPY BROS., drum majors, closed with the Clifton & Middleton Co. on May 2.

Bookings—At the People's Theatre. Sheboggan, Wiss. St. Clair and Loventh, Belle Morrison, J. C. Murphy and A. Veith.

Clair, Lulu Weekworth, Belle Morrison, J. C. Murphy and A. Veith.

cester City, N. J.: Ada Nelson, Louise Valentine, George Shine, Fred. Billings, Annie Ross, Alice Hunsinger, Maggie Brown, Billy Moore, Kittle Reynolds and Ralph Kissler.

Mamie Gilroy closes her engagement at the Girard Avenue Theatre, Philadelphia, Pa., May 9. Roster of Snowden & Breckenridge's Players: J. O. Snowden, manager: S. Albert Main, Jusiness manager; Chas. M. Breckenridge, advance: Hal L. Goodwin, Dave Kelner, Arthur M. Crow, Will Collins, Will Cunningham, Alma Main, Blanch Her, Edith Kirby, Zoe Sherwood and Little Marie. The show is booked through Iowa, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

consin.

— Hardman's Criterion Players closed their season April 19, at Waveland, Ind.

Montreal.—Windsor Hall last week had a full complement of excellent musical attractions, which were certainly deserving of better patronage than they obtained. The lack of enthusiasm however, "as no doubt due to the warm weather, now fully upon us. On Monday, Tuesiay and Wednesday nights the Philharmonic Society rendered "Samson and Delilab," "Lily Nymph" and Tannhauser," assisted by the Baston Festival Orchestra and the following soloists: Mme. Selma Kcert. Samson and Delilab," "Lily Nymph" and Tannhauser," assisted by the Baston Festival Orchestra and the following soloists: Mme. Selma Kcert. Samson and Delilab," "Lily Nymph" and Tannhauser, "assisted by Rarron Berthold, Leonard E. Marty M. Martens and Dr. Carl E. Dufft, W. H. Clarks, and Gertrule May Stein, Barron Berthold, Leonard E. Marty M. H. Sherwood, solo pianist, to the conductors were: G. H. Sherwood, which was the conductor of Mr. Mollenbauer, gave two miscellaneous programmes, assisted by Rose Stewart, soprano, and W. H. Sherwood, pianist, both being sexellent performances. Lieut. Peary, of Arctic fame, gave two lectures afternoon and evening of May 2.

QUERN'S THEATRE.—Al. G. Field's, Colored Minstrels played week of April 27, to poor business. The season at this house will practically close with the complimentary benefit performances to manager Ed. Varney, 14-16.

THEATRE ROYAL.—J. K. Emmet came week of 27, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag Royal.—J. K. Emmet came week of 47, with Teatrag R Montreal.-Windsor Hall last week had a full

week of an Ariosal.—"Fun on the Bristof" comes OFERA PRANCAIS.—A stock company has been secured at this house in addition to the variety performance, and in future continuous performances will be given. MESSES, SPARROW & JACOBS have secured the Academy of Music.

Toronto.—The Grand Opera House was dark April 27-29. The Tayary Grand Opera Co., in "Lucia di Lammermoor," "Carer "Bohemian Girl" and "Cavaileria Rusticana," paren. "Bohemian Girl" and "Cavaileria Rusticana," paren. "Bohemian Girl" and "Cavaileria Rusticana," paren. "Bohemian Girl" and 2. The House will be dark week of 4.

Tonostro Opera House.—Katie Emmett, in "The Waifs of New York," came to good business 27-May 2. Chas. A. Gardner comes week of 4.

CRYSTAL THEATRE.—This resort is doing a fair business with Prof. C. F. Edmonds and the Lees in the lecture hall, and Zella Clayton, Mona Wynne, Palaro Bros., Dottie Murray and T. Eph. Shea in the theatre.

Ottawa.—At the Grand Opera House, April 23, Miss Yaw pleased a very small addence. "Watkin Mills' filled the house 29. Al. G. Field's Colored Minstrels come May 4, 5, "Alvin Joslin" 12. GRANT'S HALL.—The Harry Lindley Co. closed their long stay April 25. Mr. Lindley has leased the house for next season.

Guelph.—The Royal Opera House has been dark for the last two weeks. Booked: Miss Beverley Robinson's Concert Co. May 4. The company includes Evelyn Street, violinist; Ada E. S. Hart, pianiste; Walter H. Robinson, tenor; G. H. Aylmer Brooks, pianist.

WEST VIRGINIA.

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Wheeling.—The season of 1895-6 is nearly at an end in Wheeling, and a general review of the businest at both theatres shows that it was the best for several years. The class of attractions appearing were of the best, and the local managers feel very well satisfied with the results. There is nothing on the books at the Opera House, but Manager Riester is negotiating with several attractions for the latter part of May.

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Notes.—Both parks have opened for the Summer. At Wheeling Park the Opera House orchestra, as usual, gives concerts every Sunday. The directors are negotiating with several opera companies for a run of three or four weeks.

At Mozart Park a number of high class attractions have been booked. Concerts are also given here every Sunday. The Great Western Band, of Pitts-burg, has been booked for 17, afternoon and evening.

Minnie Emmett, of the Tony Farrell company, made quite a bit with her excellent singing during her stay here.

The Grand Opera House orchestra has been energied to the Summer at Sistersville, W. Va., at the sariety theatre. They leave here after the Gonzalez Pittsburg.

GEORGIA.

Savannah .- At the Savannah Theatre Punch

Savannah.—At the Savannah Theatre Punch Robertson is booked for May 4.9.

Tivoli Music Hall.—The opera "Patience," with Alfa Branneck leading, had good audiences. There will be changes in the company next week. Alfa Branneck, Elsie Young, Dan Hart and Brady Williams will be relained. The new people 4 are: The Climax Four, St. Leon and McCormick, Binney and Chapman, Lottie Gorman and the Three Gillette Sisters. James McCucick is to handle the stage. Dick and Victoria Turner closed an engagement of sixteen weeks 20. They leave and is to fill an engagement at Nortok Va. Ted Beeres, the other member who closed, will remain here. After the performance, April 30, the Tivoli Hall company furnished Manager Herman Winter with a pleasant surprise. Miss Elsie Young acted as the speaker of the occasion, and presented Manager Winter with a handsome diamond locket. The next day was Manager Winter's birthday, and he celebrated the occasion by giving an excursion to Beech Hammock. The steamer Flora pany, with thirty invited guests, comprised the party.

BITLER'S TROCAREGO.—Business has been quite good at this house. The new people are: Rowena Ward, Edna May and Margie Morris.

CALT SORCHO'S "AHOVE AND BELOW THE SRA" Co. is at Tivoli Park, a suburbor Savannah. Mrs. Frances Sorcho is quite an attraction, her diving at the Park last sunday being witnessed by the largest crowd of the season,

CALIFORNIA.

Los Angeles.—Peter F. Dalley held forth in "The Night Clerk" at the Los Angeles Theatre, April 21-25, to good business. ... The Carleton Opera Co. closed at the Burbank Theatre 25. House is dark till May 3, when Davis & Moulton's Musical Comedy Co. is billed to appear.... As a merited reward for a sterling bill presented week ending 25 the Orpheum held andiences that packed the house to the doors at every performance. The only change, 27, is the departure of Corty Bros. and appearance of Elena Lella..... The annual carnival of La Piesta de Los Angeles crowled the city with strangers week ending 25...... Sueil lagenum Manaleld, wife tiled at San Bernardino, on April 18, by Mrs. Lavinia Hall, in which she claims \$\$\\$,\text{170} damages growing out of a sale of land to Mrs. Mansfield three years ago. Mrs. Hall sold to Mrs. Mansfield three years ago. Mrs. Hall sold to Mrs. Mansfield three years ago. Mrs. Hall sold to Mrs. Mansfield three years ago. Mrs. Hall sold to Mrs. Prochass. Subsequently the property was sold under a foreclosure of the mertages, Mr. Book, leading \$4,000 and sasuming a mortgage for \$5,000 held by Joseph Hook, leaving \$6,000 due on the purchase. Subsequently the property was sold under a foreclosure of the mertages, Mr. Book, which with in Mrs. Hall by mounts to \$\$4,170, the amount for which she sues. Mr. Mansfield is also made a defendant to the suit. Los Angeles .- Peter F. Dalley held forth in

OREGON.

Portland.—At the Marquam Grand Professor Tyndall, clairvoyant and mind reader, gave an exhibition April 2), to a good sized audience. Hermann, the healer, gave a performance for ladies afternoon of 23 and for gentlemen in the evening, which were well attended. "The Greation" was sung by the Apollo Choral Society evening of 22, Morrison's "Faust" opened 27. Emma Booth-Tucker, of the Salvation Army, is booked for May 3; Frank Mayo will be seen 4-6, in "Pudd'nhead Wilson'. Roland Reed comes 7, "Mexico" and "Friends" 11, Richard Mansfield Is.

CORDRAY'S THEATER.—Milton and Dolly Nobles presented "A Man of the People" week of 19 and closed their engagement 26 with one performance of "The Phornix" Business continued good. The theatre is dark week of 27. Richards A Fringle's Mistrels are such Entry May 1.

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INDIANA.

Marion.—At White's Opera House the Flints closed a very successful engagement of two weeks April 29. "Paradise Alley." booked for 30, failed to appear. Jule Waiter's "Sidetracked" comes May 2, Anderson's Comedians 4 and week.

ALLEN THEATER.—"Sowing the Wind" gave a most excellent performance, to a small audience, April 25, closing the season.
"Paradise Alley" was compelled to disband at Belle ville, Ill., April 29. The box office receipts were attached by a St. Louis botel man for a debt, and it sent the company to the wall. Prof. Flint, of the Flints, was painfully injured here, 27, by a piece of stons falling on his foot during his rock breaking act. He was compelled to lay off for a week.

IOWA.

Goodrich closed a week's engagement May 2, to fair business. War song concert (local) is due 5, Rhea 6, Chicago Marine Band 18, Carrie La Mont 18, 19 Prof. Gentry's Equine and Canine Paradox comes 4,5... Lemen Bros. Circus is billed 16. Keokuk .- At the Keokuk Opera House Eunice

Dubuque.—At the Grand Opera House, April 25, "Si Plunkard" gave two performances to small houses. On 2t. Hi Henry's Minstrels had a good house. "The Little Tycoon," by locals, 30-May I, scored a hit. Rhea comes 2.

Council Bluffs.—At the Bohany Theatre the Chase Lister Theatre Co. appeared in repertory at cheap-prices, week of April 19, and held over week of 26, drawing crowded houses.

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Albert, Lew
Alston, H. S.
Cardinez, Leon
Adams, H. G.
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Acker, M. A.
Adelman, Jos.
Atkinson, Earl
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Armstrong, E. F.
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Clark, M. T.
Frisher, Phil
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Colby, Chas. E.
Campbell, W. S.
Corlell, J. P.
Company, Nick
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Allen, Archie
Angeroth, Billy
Burn, Paul C.
Abrams, E. J.
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Corlello, F. P.
Cooly, Chas. E.
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Corroll, Johnny
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Cookler, F. P.
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Daniels, —
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Drexel, H. V.
Dempsey, J. J.
Dewey, Walter
Dawly & Waldron
Hilton, H. B.
Hopping, H. S.

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Bunth & Rudd
Batin, Alfred
Boyington, C. H.C.
Bell, Ralph
Belmont, Jas.
Bell, Ralph
Barron, Peter
Brockway, C. S.
Bell, Ralph
Barry, Richard
Bush, I. T.
Barber, W.
Bennett, Forts, H.
Bannock, R. V.
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Leddy, T. F.
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Leach, John L.
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Lamina, Jas.
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Patterson Brow.
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Platte, Grap, E.
Price's Opera
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Patten, W. B.
Paddeck, A. E.
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5. Donnelly and Girard will be seen in "The Rain-makers' 2. The Governor's Foot Guard lost money on the Ada Rehan engagement, April 28. La Lois and her company drew a crowded house 29. Heary Irving and Elien Terry attracted a log house May 1.

Fakson's Titkarikk —Palmer Cor's "The Brownies" will play a three days engagement 7-8. W. H. Crane closed a specific engagement of three nights April 29.

Eliwis K. Britis, was a preseted at the Hendlein Hotel 25 for shooting at his wife, known professionally as Dallas Tyler, a member of W. H. Crane s Company. He red four shots at her, but fortunately the bullets went wide of the mark. Bethel was bound over to the June term of the Superior Court. Philip Robson, of the Grand Opera House stock company, of Beston, and Bethel's assume terms of the superior Court.

World Players

— Manager James L. Kernan, of the Monumental Theatre and Howard Auditorium, Baltimore, Md., Theatre and Howard Auditorium, Baltimore, Md., also the Lyceum Theatre, Washington, D. C., and associate proprietor of the Holliday Street Theatre, Baltimore, will shortly begin the construction of a new theatre in the Monumental City, playing continuous performances. Manager Kernan has leased valuable property, centrally located, on Baltimore Street, the leading thoroughfare, and will convert it into a handsome theatre with modern equipment and complete conveniences.

— "The Social Trust," a comedy, by Hilliary Bell and Ramsay Morris, will be presented by the Frawley Stock Co. during its coming engagement at the Columbia Theatre, Cal.

— The members of "The New South" Co. tendered a farewell dinner to their Eanager, Sam Thall, on board the steamer Priscilla, Sunday evening, May 5, cn route to New York, as a mark of appreciation of the many courtesies extended to them during the season. The party consisted of Roselle Knott, Louise Galloway, Annie Haines, Fanny Jackson, James M. Brophy, Sidney Wilmer, Uric Blair Colins, Mitton Lipman, J. H. Davies and Sam Thall.

— Fred. Marbie's aunt, Angelene E. Ferris, died last week, leaxing a large estate. He is one of the heirs. His address is wanted.

— We are Infolimed of the stranding of the-choate. Dramatic Co., at Appleton, Wis., with salaries in arrears.

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Little Blossom, who has been very ill with peritonitis at Rockford, Ill., is somewhat improved, but will be confined to her bed for a week or more at the least. She is the soubrette with the "Turkish Bath" Co. Her husband is with her.

—Walter Whiteshed closed his season at Cleve land, O., April 2.

—The company engaged for the Summer for Kansas City, Mo., left this city May 6, and are to open at the Auditorium on May 11, in "Benedict Arnold." In the organization are William Owen, Harry Jewett, Rose Eytinge, Thomas L. Coleman, Frances Hastings (Mrs. Jewett), Harry Dougherty, Datsy Lovering, Arthur Price and F. M. Paget.

—The Girard Avenue Theatre, Philadelphia, Pa., closes in four weeks,

"Geo. C. Bryant is under engagement to Daniel Frohman for next season.

—The World Against Her" Co. closed the season April 23.

A Naval Cadet" closed its season May 2. Mrs. Julia Brutore sails for Europe May 11.
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Eugene Jepson appeared at the Girard Avenue Theatre, Philadelphia, P.a., April 27, for the first-time this season, acting Sir William—in "The Irish Hetress."

Mrs. Bandmann Palmer appeared as "Hamlet" at the Crystal Palace, London, Eng., April 21.

Mr, and Mrs. John Glendinning will sail for England June 6. During his brief stay in England Mr. Glendlinning will produce "The Power of the Press," he having secured from Aug. Pitou the English right.

J. Howard Benton informs us of the sudden termination of the season of the Minnie Lester Co., at Troy, N. Y., May 2, caused by the disappearance of the manager, Geo. E. Mitchell.

James A. Reilly writes that he will close his season in "A German Soldier" on May 9. He will star a prominent vandeville performer in the play next season. Mr. Reilly Will be seen in a new play, entitled "Unser Max," opening in Pennsylvania about Sept. 7, with special seenery, etc.

Col. Henry L. Higginson, Dr. William Mason and William Steinway met at Mr. Steinway's office, in this city, on May 4, as trustees of the endowment fund of \$10,000 which Ignace J. Paderewski founded April 21 to create three Triennial prizes of \$500, \$500 and \$200 for the best orchestral compositions by native American composers. Each expressed his willingness to serve as a trustee. As it would take three years before the Paderewski fund would accumulate interest sufficient to pay the contemplated prizes and expenses, an offer of Mr. Steinway was accepted to give \$1,500 for an earlier prize contest, to take place in March, 1907, and to perform the three prize crowned compositions at the last concert of the Boston Symphony Orchestra in April, 1897, in this city.

"The Rivals" was given its first presentation by the All Star Company, headed by Joseph Jefferson and Mrs. John Drew, on the evening of May 4, at the Court Square Theatre, Springfield, Mass.

"An Officer of the Second," an English mittery drama, by Seymour Hicks and George Edwardes, was acted for the first time in this country May 2, at the Grand Opera Hous

OHIO. - See Page 151].

Cleveland .- Manager La Marche, of Haltnorth's Gardens, will fire the opening gun of the Summer opera season early in June. Old patrons of the place will hardly recognize it in its new dress. The manage-

SUPPLIES WILD WEST SHOW has papered the can lor 13, 14.

DELAWARE.

Wilmington,-At the Grand Opera House 4rs. Gen. Tom Thumb and her company of little artists lid very good business April 27-29. Walter Kennedy ddi very good business Airil 77-29. Walter Kennedy, 31-May 2. canceled. "An Artist's Model will poss?, Lillian Russell, in "The Goddess of Truth." e. "A Midnight, Bell" will ring a benefit for the local lodge of Elks 12.

BJOC -The Ladies (Clubbild only a fair business 30-May 2. The London Galety Girls come 7-9.

Wospierklayn.-For the week of 4. In lecture ball-Geftie Cochran, the mental prodigy, and Hilton, the lugdler. Theatre-Morton and Revelle. John and Nellie Heeley, Harry's Narion, Rawson and Kilroy, and Waller and Waller.

Nortz.-Barnum & Bailey's Circus comes 9. Manager Dockstadier, of the Wonderland, has been engaged to conduct a high class vaudeville theatre during the coming season at Gordon Heights, a very popular Summer resort near this city.

World Players

at an earlier hour. Increased pressure upon our columns, and a decided increase in circulation, compet this change, and we earnestly request that all copy shall reach us in good sevison. All matter should be in this office on Monday, so far as possible. The outside forms close on Monday at 4 P. M., the inside forms on Tuesday at 2 P. M.

Edwin Bethel attempted to shoot his wife, ballas Tyler, April 2s, at the Hotel Heublein, Hartford, Ct. He had been playing with the "Hoodman Blind" Co., but left the organization 28, and went to Hartford, where his wife, who had separated from liariford, where his wife, who had separated from him, was playing with Wm. H: Crane's Co. Bethel cilled on his wife and her mother. Mrs. Ashlan, who was traveling with her, at the Hotel Heublein, and an angry altercation ensued between them. Finally, Miss. Dailas rushed screaming from the room through the hall and down stairs, followed by her husband, who fired four shots at her, none of which struck her. Mrs. Ashlan clung to Bethel's arm while he was pursuing her daughter, and to this Miss Dailas probably owes her life, as it doubtless caused the buillets to go wide of the mark for which they were intended. Bethel was taken into custody and arraigned 30, charged with assault with intent to kill. He acknowledged the shooting, but said that he neither intended to kill his wife nor her mother. He was held in \$3,000 bail for trial at the June term of the Superior Court.

—Chas, Ellis, of Ellis A Lennon's Co., was made a member of Aberdeen Lodge, No. 55, K. of P., April 22, at Aberdeen, So. Dak. Thos. Lennon look his second degree in masonery the same evening, at the same place.

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— Gibert S. Bixby has closed with L. J. Carter's "Fast Mail" (Southern), and is resting in Paris, Tex.—Ellinwood's Players go under canvas May IS, and carry a full band and orchestra.

— A paragraph recently mentioned Louise and Edna Reming as sisters. Louise and Edna Reming are the wife and daughter of Percy Plunkett. The parents are very proud of their talented little daughter, and are anxions that these facts should be known.

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— Callicotte Comedy Co. Notes: We opened in Coffrado Springs, Col., April 29, for two weeks. The first week of the engagement has been a great success. On Friday night the house was packed to its utmost capacity, being the largest house ever known in the city. Nannie Callicotte, our star, is making a success in her kaleidescopic dance. Mr. B. J. Biethen and C. B. Callicotte were made K. P's last week. Baby Flossle is the admired of all everywhere. The company remains out all Summer, playing the mountain towns.

— E. H. Wood, who was in advance of "A Bowery Girl" the past season, is now doing the country press work on Car No 2 of Buffato Bill's Wild West Show. Mr. Wood will be in advance of Maggie Cline next season, who will star in a new play, "On Broadway," under the management of Harry Williams.

y Williams. Fred Marsh and Leon J. Farrington, who will Fred Marsh and Leon J. Farrington, who will — Fred Marsh and Leon J. Farrington, who will next season put out a company playing "on Southern Soil," were CLIPTER callers April 29. The season opens at Halifax, N. S., in August, Lew Silvers, Trixe Lewis, Ara Bell, Marte De Moore, Al. W. Cross and Prof. J. J. Ansell, who will furnish a band and orchestra, have already been engaged.

— May L. Bell has signed with "The Fortune Teller" Co. for the Summer season.

— Walter Kennedy's season of four weeks ended at Morristown, Fa., April 25. The members of the company report that salaries were three weeks in arrears.

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May 9.

The season of "A Dark Knight," the new musical farce coincely, by Geo. Hicks, and under the management of H. B. Wilber, will open at Tona-Wanda, N. Y., Sept. 19. The attraction will play first class theatres in the principal cities of the Middle and Eastern States. Special scenery will be carried. The following have been engaged: Edward O'bell, to play lead and do his acrobatic specialty; Trixie Lewis and Una D'Moire. The paper will be in four colors, from the Donaldson Co.

After a vacation of two weeks at Indianapolis Bert Carroll has again Joined McGowen & Busby's Show, this making his sixth season as advertising agent. The show opens May 4, for a tour of Illinois and the Northwest.

George H. Summers will play a Summer season with his Comedy Players in the Adirondack Mountains. He will be supported by Belle Stevenson and Baby Mab, who will appear in her singing specialties.

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Lawrence Evarl 1s recreating for a few weeks at his home in Worcester, Mass., in company with Fred D. Fowler. Mr. Evart will leave May 8 for Niagara Falls, N. 1., to Join Andrew Downie for a Summer season, as general director.

— On May 17 "The Great Diamond Robbery" will have its first representation at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, Ill., where it is expected to play four weeks.

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— The Corse Payton Company will close its season at Salem, Mass., May 9. Mr. Payton informs us that this has been the most successful season during his professional career. His next season will begin Aug. 3, when he will present a new repertory of plays, with claborate scenery. Etta Reed, who has been leading lady with this company for the past five seasons, has been re-engaged for next season. Miss Reed has been a popular favorite wherever the company has played. E. H. MacAndrews, the scenic artist, has een engaged by Mr. Payton to spend the Summer months in painting the new scenery for his productions.

— Esther R. Banks, wife of W. J. Banks, manager of Stetson's "T. T. C." Co. was kicked by one of Mr. Washburn's circus mules, breaking one of her thigh bones, while visiting Mrs. Washburn at their Winter quartet's, Mr. Holly, N. J., last week. She is resting easy there, with the best of care, but it will be some weeks before she can be moved.

— Helen Dauvray and Lleut. A. G. Winterhalter, T. S. N., were married April 29, at Alameda, Cal.

— Mrs. Alexander Hermann, wife of the magtetan, has purchased a house on Riverside Drive, this city.

— Theresa Vaughn and Willie Collier, of Rice's (Mittel Christopher') Co. having had a carried april Mittel Collier, of Rice's (Mittel Christopher') Co. having had a carried april Mittel Collier, of Rice's (Mittel Christopher') Co. having had a carried april 20.

resa Vaughn and Willie Collier of Ri "Lattle Christopher" Co., having had a quarrel as twhich of them was entitled to the star's dressing room, Miss Vaughn left the company April 28, a Battimore, Md. She was succeeded by Bessie Bone hill.

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Fred Schwartz late business manager of the — Fred Schwartz late business manager of the Tavary Grand Opera Co., writes as follows: "Our four closed May 2 in Toronto, Can., under the direction of Chas, II. Pratt, after a season of thirty-nine weeks, embracing a four of Old Mexico, California, British Columbia and the principal cities of the United States. Manager Pratt will retire from active theatrical work, white Mr. Schwartz will play the principal theatres, opening in New York in September with a new operatte production, how successfully running in London and Paris.

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— Will D. Steadman Joined the "Miss Harum Scarum" Co. April 29, at Jamestown, N. D.

— Burdette M. Garnich's new play, "A Woman's Power, or Stars and Stripes," was produced recently in Allegheny, Pa., under the direction of G. Stuart Broderick.

— Manager Edwin P. Hilton writes: "I will close the first season of John J. Burke, in 'The Doctor,' at Minneapolis, Minn., May 9, and can report a most successful season. Never has a new attraction done better business or played better theatres, while we have yet to meet with an adverse notice," Mr. Hilton will be in New York for the Summer, and will devole his time to engaging a new company and booktag for next season.

— Geo. Hutchingson closed a twenty-two weeks' engagement with the southers Price Co. at Sharps ville, Pa., on April 29.

— Roster of the Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wayne Co.; Robt. Wayne, Harry H. Lynton, J. C. Robisch, Frank Bouman, Harry Langdon, F. J. Lewis, Geo. Friend, John Pryor, Rie Hamilton, Etha Rossland, Rose Adelle, Mrs. Robert Wayne, Frank Bouman, Harry Langdon, F. J. Lewis, Geo. Friend, John Pryor, Rie Hamilton, Etha Rossland, Rose Adelle, Mrs. Robert Wayne, Frank J. Lewis, manager; Ed. B. Barnsted Jr., business manager, and H. Bennington, musical director.

— Myra Collins, under the management of Kellam A Harper, is playing the resorts along the St. Lawrence River and the Adirondacks. Among the people engaged are: W. S. Hodge, J. Moy Bennett, Dan Simmons, Wilson Remni, L. J. Kellam, W. W. Harper, Roy H. Wilson, Ella Burtin, Gladys Remni, and Miss Pazel Le Moy, musical director.

— Aggie Vars has become a member of Askin A Tyler's "Miss Philadelphas" 'Co.

— Florence Geraid has closed her season with William Morriis, in "Michael Strogoft."

— Mrs. Ella Meneer presented her husband, Prof. Carl Meneer, with a baby girl on April 28.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of Charles Wyndham's management of the Criterion Theatre, London, Eng., on May 1, was made notable by two performances (morning and evening), for which many of England's most prominent actors and actresses volunteered their services. The performances were tendered as a testimonial to Mr. Wyndham by many distinguished persons, including, it is stated, the Prince of Wales, and were given in recognition of his services to the English stage. The morning performance was given at the Lyceum Theatre, and included a one act play, entitled "A Clerical Error," the first act of "Money," in which John Sieeper Clarke appeared as Graves, and the third, fourth and fifth acts of "The School for Scandal." The evening performance was given at the Criterion Theatre, and the programme consisted of "Who's to Win Him," the second act of "The Critic." and "David Garrick."

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— Edwin Wayne has been engaged by Thomas E. Shea for his forthcoming tour.

— Charles K. Harris, the song writer and publisher, writes: "I am in receipt of a large poster and progarmme announcing the fact that the Chas. K. Harris Comedy Co. will show at the Grand Opera House, Lewiston, Me., and emphatically state that I am in no way, shape or manner connected with the above named attraction."

— Milard and Morrell have just closed the season with J. B. Mackie's "Grimes' Cellar Door."

— John A. Victor is organizing a Summer stock company, to be located at Armstrong Park, near Indianapolis, Ind., Mr. Victor having secured the exclusive control of the park. Will D. Marine has been retained as director of the stock company.

— Geo. R. Robinson informs us that he is held as a witness to the Coleman-Davis murder case at the Trumbull Avenue Police Station, Detroit, Mich.

— The "Two Old Cronies" Co. closed their season is Haviin's Theatre, Chicago, May 2. Next season John B. Wills will launch a new farce comedy, entitled "The Roof Garden." Wm. F. Kennedy returns to his Philadelphia home. Louise Carver will Summer with relatives in Davenport, Ia.: Ellmore and La Verne will play an engagement over the Orpheum circuit, Phil. Collins, musical director, goes to Fl. Wayne, Ind., to conduct an orchestra for the Summer; Harry Pond, treasurer, has departed for Minneapolis, Minn., to settle up an estate left him some months ago. Kitty Heiston was called to New York, her mother being seriously ill. John B. Estelia and Walter Wills, in company with Oiver C. Patten, return to their New York homes.

— John E. Brennan will next season produce his new comedy drama, "A Bank Clerk," carrying his own car and a carefully selected company.

— Murray and Mack will close their season of forty weeks of "Finnigan's Ball." May 3, being th

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Pa., to arrange for their tour with their own company next season.

Rolt. McClung, who has been sick for the past eleven weeks in the Wheeling, W. Va., Hospital, joined the Flora Staniford Co. last week.

— Chas. F. Brown will continue as manager of the Gormans another season, his seventh, with these popular comedians. They closed a season of thirty-five weeks at Rochester, N. Y., May 2.

— The Stockwell company, which will play at the California Theatre, San. Francisco, this Summer, will include Nelson Wheatroft, Herbert Keicey, John T. Sullivan and Efile Shannon. Rose Coghlan will join the company the latter part of the season.

— Joseph Hart will next season present "Truthful John," a new comedy, by M. J. Royal.

MAUD ODELL

Was born in Beaufort, S. C., about twenty-four years ago. Her theatrical career practically began in 1891, when she became a member of the Lyceum in 1891, when she became a member of the Lyceum Theatre Co., this city, with which she at first played a small part in "Nerves." Manager Danlel Frohman, having faith in her powers, then placed her in his road company, in which she played the leading parts in "The Wife" and "Sweet Lavender." Leaving this company, she played for one season the leading feminine role in "Blue Jeans," after which she rejoined the Lyceum forces, and assumed in "The Amazons" the character of Lady Noeline. She has since remained a member of the Lyceum company, and has recently successfully filled the role of Antomette de Mauban in "The Prisoner of Zenda," in the company which revived the play here. Miss Odell is of refined tastes and habits, and conscientious and painstaking in her chosen work. She is a musician of considerable skill, and is also a singer of much merit, having a well cultivated contralto voice.

RHODE ISLAND.

Providence,—The most notable engagement of the season took place the first half of last week, when Henry Irving and Ellen Terry appeared for three nights at the Providence Opera House. Despite the fact that the prices were greatly advanced, the house was filled at every performance. The engagement, besides being the most prominent of the season, was, from a financial view, the most successful in the history of the house. The rest of the week the Hammer and Tongs Society, of Brown University, gave a drama, entitled "Florida Water." It was well put on and was well patronized. KETH'S OPEKA HOUSE.—Last week at this house saw Geo. W. Monroe, in "Allappy Little Home." Mr. Monroe did not receive the patronage that he has in former years, and the week was a very light one. This week, Richard Goblen, in "Old Jed Prouty." Following tomes. "The Great Northwest," which will close the season, and the management state that it is the largest and most profulable season the house ever saw.

WESTAINSTER THEATRE.—James Donaldson's New York London Theatre Specialty Co. gave a good show last week, but the business was the powered of the season at the control of the season at the part of the part Providence.-The most notable engagement of

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VIRGINIA.

Richmond,—The season of the Academy of lusic was brought to a close April 28, by "Wang." That he opera has lost none of its drawing powers was atthe large and appreciative audience that greeted its presentation. Manager Leath is more than satisfied with the season's record, the ledger showing a larger balance on the right side than at any period of his successful management. During the Summer many needed improvements will be made. Electricity will replace the present gas system. The interior is to be redecrated and otherwise improved, while the dressing rooms will receive careful attention with a view to comfort.

PUTNAM'S THEATRE COMIQUE -Opening May 4, Kurdbenstine. Business is fair.

Norfolk.—The regular theatrical season at the Academy of Music closed April 27. "Wang," with Albert Hart in the principal role, was the attraction, and a same at the above the attraction and a same at the same

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Salt Lake City .- At the Grand "The Wages of rew well week of April 20. Current: "The Picture"

LAUKUM. - The addition of Mina Gleason, W. L. Gleas

Variety and Minstrelsy

NOTES FROM GUS HILL'S ENTERPRISES .- OUR EURO pean lady gymnast, the first season a special feat-ure with the New York Stars will shortly be seen in a novel aerial act. It is claimed that it will far surpass anything ever attempted by a female gym-nast. Prof. Sivado will leave for Europe in two nast. Prof. Sivado will leave for Europe in two weeks, to fulfil contracts he has for Mile. Florizell, the mirror specialist. While over there he will be on the lookout for novelities for Gus Hill, who will have four shows on the road next season. The New York Stars close the most successful season they have had since their most remarkable one of 1892-95, when the management report that the company cleared \$16,000. The Vanity Fair, Spectacular and Farce Comedy Co., It is stated, will be a surprise to all who have booked it. Gus Hill has rented offices at 105 East Fourteenth Street, New York, where he will transact all business for his four shows.

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DIXON, BOWERS AND DIXON, the three Rubes, have just closed eighteen successful weeks with the Relily & Wood Co. They open on the Orpheum circuit, at Los Angeles, Cal., May 10, for six weeks.

NOTES FROM SAM T. JACK'S "MY UNCLE" CO.—Our season has been a good one and our company has had a pleasant trip. We have had two weddings in the company recently. The first was Lew Palmer, tenor singer, and Dalsy Chariton. The second couple to light Hymen's torch were George E. Beban, comedian, and Lottie Lewis, soubrette. They were married in Washington, D. C., by the Rev. Ezekhah Thoraday, of the Second Baptist Church. Mr. Beban and Miss Lewis are well known in Chicago, Ill., and received many congratulations while here. Several additions have been made to our company, viz.: Edyth Palmer, contortion dancer; George A. Bird, character comedian, and Harry Cashman, comedian. The "My Uncle" Company will tour South for six weeks longer, then return to Chicago and close the season June 8, at Mr. Jack's Opera House. "My Uncle" is booked solid for next season.

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It is announced that James Thornton intends shortly to leave the vandeville stage and devote himself to preaching in the cause of temperance.

LITTLE GUSSIE FELLX. daughter of George Felix, was presented with flowers and money while appearing in her act at an entertainment given to Baby Josephine, in this city, April 30.

Makie Hargaye salled May 21 for London, Eng., and will return in time to take part in the roof garden season.

RUSINESS MANAGER GEO. CHENNELL, of Harry Martell's "South Before the War," was a CLIPPER caller April 20, the company having closed its season with its engagement at Chicago, Ill., the week previous. Mr. Chennell will spend the Summer at his hotel, South Durham, N. Y., in the Catskills, and will next season manage the No. 2 company, which Manager Martell will put out.

The OLIPANS state that they have not signed with Idla Fuller's Co. for next season.

L. EDWIN SINCLAIR has formed a partnership with Billy J. Douglass.

Hadley and Hart play the Grand Opera House, Boston, Mass., this week.

The LACENTRAS are with Noble's Comedy Co. The roster: W. R. Noble, preprietor and manager; J. M. Noble, advance and press agent; J. A. Lacentra, stage manager; Chas. Chase, musical director; J. King, C. Chase, Alice Herbert, Vina Thompson; W. R. Noble, Ray Goodwin, and the Lacentras, Pearl and Joe, are the performers.

HENRY FREY, the American tramp, late of Frey and Le Maine, and Harry W. Collins, the past season with "The Derby Winner" Co., have formed a partnership.

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SNYDER AND BUCKLEY, of the Big Sensation Co., close their season with that company May 30 and are engaged to put on a Summer burlesque at Inman's Casino. Coney Island, N. Y., for a season of

man's Casino. Coney Island, N. 1., for a season of fourteen weeks.

MAMIE MAYO is singing George M. Cohan's new song, "Every Night in Central Park," and it is said to be the feature of her specialty.

Tommy DONNELLY puts the song, "Oh, Mr. Austen," as among the strongest numbers of his reper-

CARRIE FREDRICKS, singing and dancing sou-brette, will sail for Europe May 28, to fill engage-ments in the leading music halls. E. A. Manoney, barttone singer, and W. A. Ho-

E. A. MAHONEY, barttone singer, and W. A. Hogan have joined hands.
Enward Dwyer, of the leam of Conroy and Dwyer, informs us of his marriage to Lottle Cornelius, at Catawissa, Pa., on April 27.
PARSY BRANNIGAN writes that he has booked the Irish Village at the leading Summer resorts for four months, commencing May 30, with the following performers: Dan Nash, Bruns and Nina, J. H. Marton, Miss Summers, Miss Sullivan and J. McGough.
LEW HAWKINS desires to offer his sincere thanks to the employes of the Olympic Theatre, Chicago, Ill., and the many professional friends who kindly remembered his wife by sending flowersand regrets to her funeral, and who expressed their sympathy in many ways.

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Waller Springfield, were banqueted after the show

WALLER AND WALLER and Carrie Monroe, while playing Springfield, were banqueted after the show by Wm. Hickey and friends.

Terry and Elmer were recent Clipper callers and informed us that they will change their style of wardrobe next season and introduce two new and original comedy dances.

Messus. Morris, Miaco & Woodhull inform us that only five weeks remain open at the Trocadero, Philadelphia, Pa., for next season. Some of the best vaudeville combinations hold time there.

Willier Mack, George Wentzler and Major Ribnback, while playing at Eric, Pa., were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Girard with several fishing excursions.

by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gifard with several hands, cursions.

Weston and Beasley appeared at Tony Pastor's Theatre, this city, April 20. A typographical error gave the latter's name as Baisty.

SHAYNE AND WORDEN have been engaged to do their specialty for eight nights at the Chicago (III.) Opera House, opening May 17.

The Spencer Boos. report doing well in the West.

WM. GORMAN, musician, informs us of his marriage to Maud Violet Tryine, in Portchester, N. Y., on April 19.

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Norks From THE FRANK E. Long Co.—Joe Sautry
is dur agent. WPI S. Collier, our former agent, is
in Chicago, III., looking after his Summer enterprises. This company will not close this Summer,
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prises. This company will not close this Summer, as we are contemplating a hot weather engagement in one of the Northern cities.

JOHN T. POWERS, of the London Sports Burlesque Co., plays-this week at the Howard Athenæum. Boston, rejoining the show May 11, in New York.

AFTER a successful five weeks' engagement at Forrest Park, Honston, Tex., the Ward Bros., musical team, joined Weiseman's Comedians at St. Louis, Mo., May 4.

HARRY MORRIS' TWENTIETH CENTURY MAIDS CO., after the performance at the London Theatre, New York, April 30, were transferred-in carriages to the Central Opera House, in full make up, and a midnight performance was given for the benefit of the Wendell Phillips Lodge, K. of P. The performance started with the burlesque, and the programme was given in its entirety, the wardrobe for the specialties and first part having been expressed to the Central during the evening. The finale was sung at 2.45 a. M., and the novel features of the entertainment was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience. Ross AND FENTON will produce their new travesty, entitled "Any Fart of Maryland," at Proctor's Picasure Palace, commenting May 18. They have signed for a four weeks' engagement with Mr. Proctor.

MAY EDWARDS received many handsome presents

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MAY EDWARDS received many hand-some presents from her friends on her birthday, May 1.

It is rumored that Carver H. Cline will be business manager of Koster A Bial's Music Hail at Chicago, Ill., when it is completed.

JOHN Q. Roogers has been appointed American representative of the Hugh Jay Didcott Company of London climiteds. It is the intention of this company to arrange for the appearance of American vaudeville performers in England, and to send over here the best talent from that country. Mr. Rogers will have offices in this city.

HARRY F. WINSMAN, the whistler, who has appeared under Davis & Keogh's management, has signed with the same firm for next season.

GEORGE HASSEL, of Hail and Donnelly's Minstrels, has written for Dolly Mestayer Brooks a new song, entitled "I Only Know I Love Her So" and it is said to be exceptionally pretty.

"LIFE'S GAME OF SEE SAW," the new song by L. C. Wegefarth, is said to have made a hit in England. It depicts in a pathetic and semi-humorous way the ups and downs in every one's life. It is sung by professional singers who depend on catchy songs to make a hit with the audience.

GRAY AND COSWAY closed with Gus Hill's Novelities at Minneapolis, Minn., May 2.

HARRY WARD, ministrel monologuist, is at Mt. Clemens, Mich., for a short vacation. He opens May 16 at the Casino, Toledo, O, for an extended engagement.

CLAUOR LA MOTTE was engaged by Manager C. Grey, to strengthen the Bartholomew Show at the Hagan Opera House, St. Louis, Mo., beginning April 26, for one week.

CHAS. K. HARRIS' new ballad, "When the Lights Went Ont," is now ready for professionals, and is being successfully introduced by the Manhattan Comedy Four and Bison City Quartet, Banks Winter and Kate Michalena. ""There'ill Come a Time," the popular waitz song, is being sung by Lydis Barry, of "The Rising Generation" Co., and Susie Levino, to numerous encores nightly. "Better Than Gold," a descriptive song hit, is being sung by such well known singers as Imagene Comer, Meyer Cohen, Bruns and Nina, Evely's Britton, Annie Carter, Annie Weston, J. Aldrich Libbey, Ola Hayden, Dolly. Brooks, E. C. Lawrence, Herbert Holcombe, Sadie A. Stevens, Jessie Olivier, Rosa Barns, Zelma Rawiston, Lina Mae Crews, Geo. D. Lambson, Margaret Ross, J. Albert Gales, Annie Schaeffer, Carrie Dillon Weber, Beatrice Norman, the Silvers, Arnim and Wagner, Lillian Castle, Lew Palmer, Pete Baker, Edith Eilis, Sidney S. Toler, Bert, Gagnon, Alice Carle, Bert Gilderoy, J. Edgar Johnston, Frank Hall, Joe Natus, Eddie Giguire, Laura Lee, Rose Winchester, Chas. Ernest, Mand Raymond, the Ammonds Clerice Trio, Fanny Everett, Albert Hawthorne, Geo. H. Dlamons, Horwitz and Bowers and many others.

The European Music Hall, and Roof Garden

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THE EUROPEAN MUSIC HALL and Roof Garden at Montreal, Can., opened its fifth season with the following people: Webster and Quinn, Irish comedians: Thomas Bateman, character comedian; Arthur Phillipp, balladist; Bob Price, with his illustrated songs; George Miller, pedestal clog dancer; Arthur Dudley, bartione; A. P. Oosato, descriptive vocalist, and the Park Quartet and stock. The house is remodelled, seating capacity enlarged to \$50, and new scenery by Sosman and Landis, of Chicago. Bob Price, manager; H. Bogart, treasurer. A continuous variety and dramatic performance is given, at popular prices.

Notes FROM Underwood, proprietor and manager, assisted by Elia Bailey; Chas. Drury and Madeline Horn, A. M. Jones, Chelia Jones, Trass Hiatt, O. O. Emmons, Maude Brady, Willis Sawyer, O. O. Emmons in advance. We will tour Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Have a strong company of specialty people and will not play a town with less than a population of 2,000.

W. A. PETERS is now business manager of the Warwick Theatre, Newport News, Va.
BILLY POULLAIN and wife, Frankie Lee, have been compelled to cancet their dates with B. F. Keith for May 4 and all other early dates, on account of a recent death in Mrs. Poullain's family.

GUS. C. Weinberg, Song writer and comedian, has been engaged at Elitche's Garden, Denver, Col., opening June I.

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HUMES AND MILLS open for a two weeks' stay at the Sea Beach Palace, Coney Island, N. Y.

THE WILLIAMS TRIO, musical experts, have had their engagement at J. H. Moore's houses extended from four to seven weeks. They are now playing two weeks at the Rochester, N. Y., house.

B. F. KEITH has cabled his safe arrival in London, Eng. He reports a very pleasant trip, and adds that he will remain some weeks in the British capital.

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Mrs. Dick Kumins presented her husband with

MRS. DICK KUMINS presented her husband with a son on April 30.

GILSON AND MATHEWS have been specially engaged for six weeks with the Washburn Sisters' Co.

NELLIE M. RANDALL and May Lilley have been engaged by Prof. C. H. Medholm for next season.

THE AMERICAN NOVELTY DANCING QUARTER (Welby, Pearl, Keys and Nellie) closed a successful season of thirty-nine weeks with Gorton's Minstrels at Wellsville, N. Y., April 10.

MILDRED MURRAY opened at the Avenue Theatre, Pittsburg, Pa., May 4.

FIREDS AND LEWIS open in San Francisco, Cal., May 10, for six weeks on the Orpheum circuit.

FINKIE WATSON, the little black terrier dog which traveled so many years with Watson and Hutchings, died April 26.

JOHN H. BRUGH, we are informed through bis

died April 26.

John H. Brugh, we are informed through his counsel, Col. J. F. Milliken, obtained a judgment in the City Court, May 2, against Edward A. Stevens, the manager of Loie Fuller, for \$254.40, the amount of a board bill at the Gedney House, in this city, J. Arthur Nelson AND LOTTA EMMONS opened at the Wonderland Theatre, Milwaukee, Wis., this week, in their new satire, "Social Mistakes."

E. M. HALL & DONNELLY'S MINSTREIS opened their Summer tour April 30, at Ansonia, Ct., and report immense business.

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MAJ, JAS. D. DOYLK closed with the "Girl Wanted"
Co. April 25, and opened at the Grand Opera House,
Boston, April 27.

IVAN L. DAVIS, who was for several years musical director at the Lyceum Theatre, Chicago, Ill., is
now leader for Manager Sam T. Jack's "Bull
Fighter" Co. The season will close in Chicago in
four weeks, and Mr. Davis will return to this city
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MANAGER A. T. GORMAN AND CLIFF W. GRANT, of "The Twentieth Century Models," were CLIFFER callers on May 4. They report excellent bookings for their new venture. The season opens at the Lyceum Theatre, Philadelphia, Pa., on Aug. 10. New scenery, special lithograph paper and cos-tumes are in preparation.

LILLIAN GREEN won a distinct success at the Galety Theatre, this city, singing Richard H. Bar-ker's new song, entitled "The Girl of My Boyhood's Days." The composer has dedicated the song to Miss Green.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Washington.—Indications point strongly to the fact that the end of the amusement season, theatrically speaking, is fast drawing to a close, one house having already terminated its regular season, and also its supplemental season, which only lasted one night, while i was booked for six weeks. Our remaining first class houses will all be closed before the month ends, and no one of them will reoper until the regular season in the Fall. Manager Rapley, of the National and the Academy, foresaw early that the bicycle craze, added to the approaching political campaign, would militate greatly against a prosperous season of summer theatricals, and he long ago announced his determination to devote the Summer to absolute rest, and turn his houses over to the renovators. Manager Albaugh, of the Lafayette Square, had almost completed his arrangements for roof garden entertainment during the coming Summer, but he now announces that he has given up the idea, and his house will be dark till fall, after the middle of the month. Manager Kernan, of the Lyceum, will have a couple of weeks devoted to walking matches after this month, where the list of houses, and it is safe to say that the Capital City will be without theatrical anusement this summer.

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KAPLEV'S NATIONAL THEATRE had John R. Rogers' "The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown" last week to fair business. This week, Digby and Laura Joyce Bell, in "A Midnight Bell," Delia Fox Opera Co. May 11-16.

ALBARGE'S LAFARETTE SQUARE OPERA HOUSE had George Edwardes' Co., in "An Artist's Model," to fair business only, and closed its regular season. This week is being devoted to local entertainments till Saturday evening, 9, when the star cast in Sheridan's "The Rivals' will be presented. The opening day's sale of seats for this occasion amounted to about \$4,000, and the prospects are that the entire sale will amount to nearly twice that sun.

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RAFLEN'S AUADEMY OF MUSIC had Jacob Litt's "A Tammany Tiger," a strong melodrama, by H. Grattan Donnelly.

Business was fairly good and the satisfaction This week, "Coon Hollow," and "A Happy Little Home This week, "Coon Hollow," and "A Happy Little Home House, and the satisfaction of the Musical Council was a consequence field that Manager Allen Cosed the company contained some excellent people, the comedy was put on without sufficient rehearsal, and as a consequence fell flat. Manager Allen Closed the house after the first performance, claiming that it was not up to the standard of his theatre. Manager Shaw did the fair thing by his people and paid their fares back to New York.

York KERNAN'S LYCKUM THEATRE had Fields & Hanson's Drawing Cards, to fair business only. This week Sam T. Jack's 'The Bull Figther' is on. London Gaiety Girls (1-16.

Philadelphia.-The continued cool weather

Philadelphia.—The continued cool weather has had its effect in keeping our theatres with a fair run of patronage during the past week. The great star cast in "The Rivals," the opening of the Summer opera season, and the first presentation here of "Little Christopher" are the novelties for the current week.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—'The Rivals," presented here under the local management of Frank Howe Jr., and including in the east Joseph Jefferson, William H. Crane, Robert Taber, Joseph Holland, E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William H. Crane, Robert Taber, Joseph Holland, E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William H. Crane, Robert Taber, Joseph Holland, E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William H. Crane, Robert Taber, Joseph Holland, E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William H. Crane, Robert Taber, Joseph Holland, E. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William H. Crane, Robert Taber, Joseph Holland, R. M. Holland, Nat G. Goodwin, Francis William H. Christopher, "A sand 6. and "The Little Trooper", Sand 9. Last week Camille D'Arrille played her second engagement here this season in "Madeleine, or The Magic Kiss," to fairly good patronage. Next week, Lilliam Russell, and G. G. Good patronage. Next week, Lilliam Russell, and G. CHESTINIT STREET OFERA HOUSE,—"Excelsior Jr." enters the second and last week of its engagement. Last week it drew big houses and was received with every manifestation of approval. Next week we are promised "a great surprise."

CHESTINIT STREET THEATRE—"Little Christopher," with Bessie Bonehill. Willie Collier and other favorites, comes for a fortnight. Last week "Too Much Johnson" closed a successful month's engagement.

WALLY TREET, Salie Martinot and Edgar L. Davenport in the cast, enters the second week of a successful fortnight's engagement. The production is received with favor and drew good business last week. No an nouncement for next week.

PARK THEATRE—"Miss Philadelphia"

time. Last week "The Great Diamond Robbery" was played to crowded houses, for the third engagement this season. Next week, Donnelly and Girard, in "The Rainmakers."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE —Hinrich's Grand Opera Co., under the management of Louis S. Fleishman, opens the regular Summer season, the repertory for this week being, "Il Trovatore" 4. "Paust" 5. "Aldia" 6. "Bohemian Girl" 7 and matine's 9. "The Huguenotts 8 and "William Tell" 9. Last week Creston Clarke closed a long and lairly and the closed a long and lairly laight for the closed a long and lairly and the closed a long and lairly and the closed a long and lairly lairly and lairly the longest run of the classics we have had for many years. Girard Daventor the lairly and the lairly lai

night's engagement. Next week, May Russell Burlesque Co
THE BLOU.—For the current week the entertainment provided includes J. W. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew Metropolitan Trio, Maxwell and Simpson, Moreland and Hart, Robinson Baker, and Robinson, Nellie Seymour, Golile, St. Clair and Golide, Meshan and Raymond, the Sidmans, Mendoza Sisters, Hogan and Glenroy, Loring and Leele, Fredo and Griffen. Last week business was and Leele, Fredo and Griffen. Last week business was simpson were received with the greatest and axwell and Simpson were received with the greatest and axwell and Simpson were received with the greatest and seven the first the control of the

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BIJOUT THEATRE.—Tony Farrell this week. "The Girl I Left Behind Me" left town May 2. Inmates of the Newboys Home attended the performance on that date by invitation of Manager Gulick. "The Twentieth Century GIT" comes Manager Gulick. "The Twentieth Century GIT" comes and the state of the transfer of the second of the second

who gives ciever initiations of celebrated actors, and 2, when tableaux will be shown by local amateurs for the benefit of a church.

ALVIN TREATRE.—The Baidwins, "the White Mahatmas," began A. L. The Baidwins, "the White Mahatmas, began to the Baidwins, "the White Mahatmas," began to the Baidwins, "the White Mahatmas," began to the Baidwins, "the White Baidwins, "the Baidwins, "the Baidwins, "the White Baidwins, "the White Baidwins, "the White Mahatwins, "the Baidwins, "the White Mahatwins, "the

business up to 2. Nothing underlined for II.

HARRY DAVIS EDEN MINER.—Capt. Votuo, the polson eater, is the principal new face for the current week, and the "County Circus" is retained with entirely new features.

FOREPACH-SELLS SHOW come II, 12.

CUTLETS.—Treasurer E. J. McCullough, for the new drand Opera House, who was acting manager of the Duquesne during the entire period of David Headerson's lessesship of that nouse, will go East for the Sun mer, and will probably direct next season's tour of a will known star with whom he is now negotiating. For some weeks past various rumors have been current with regard to a change in the ownership of the Alvin Thea. It can be considered that the consideration of the control of the control

Harrisburg.—At the Opera House business will be resumed May 4, with the Webber Dramatic for a week.

Norts.—Burton and Carroll's Pavilion Show will be here May 4-6. Arthur Young, resident manager of the Eden Musee, is unable to leave his room, at the Hotel Columbus, on account of an attack of inflammatory rheumatism. ... Charles Crawford, Oscar Hoke and Harry Milligan will shortly take out a medicine show, to be known as the Crawford Medicine Co., No. 1. A. P. Nail, assisted by Harry C, Nail and G, H. Major and local talent, put on "The Drummer Boy of Shiloh," under the auspices of Post 58, G, A. R. ... The advance sale of tickets for the Elks' befielt, "The Midnight Bell," May II is large, and the event promises to be a notable one

Many prominent Elks will attend the reception which will follow... H. G. Hergieroth, sole manager and owner of Hergieroth's Favilion Theatre, which recently opened at Middletown, informs your correspondent that his attraction company of the manager of the thick attraction will consist of twenty people, band and oromass will consist of the first two weeks business was good, considering the weather. Zat Zam and Mora joined last week, and Clayton and Grant will join May 4. Mr. Hergleroth says he will have as fine a vandeville show as any on the road.

"The Tribly" Co. stopped over in the city 25, cr. rosate from Mahanoy City to York. The Murrays with the Hunting Circus, are doing an up to date editorial sketch, "Two New Editions" in town, and scored a big hit in every town they have appeared.

Reading.—The Amphion Minstrels Co., composed of local talent, drew a large audience at the Academy of Music April 30. "Coon Hollow" did a large business May 2. The Sages, hypnotists, are due week of May 4. This theatre will be entirely stocked with new seenery during the Summer. It will also be recarpeted and repainted. Business has been thirty per cent. better than

painted. Business has been thirty per last season.

BLOV THEATRE.—The Henry Burlesque Co. played to banner business week of 27, and closed the regular sea-son at this house. Work on the contemplated improve ments will be commenced at once. This house will here after be known as the Auditorium.

Wilkesbarre.—The Grand Opera House was occupied by the Sages, hypnotists, week of April 27. Lillian Russell comes, in "The Goddess of Truth," May 6; Ellen Beach Yaw 7. Manager Burgunder now contemplates arranging alterations at the Grand Opera House that will enable him to readily convert the large auditorium into a ball room.

MUSIC HALL.—"The Ladies' Club" held forth April 27-29, to somewhat slim andiences after the first night. "Wife for Wife" 30-May 2, was fairly attended. The regular season of this house closed with last week. The returns have been very good, and all entertainments of actual merit have drawn well.

NICKE OBEON is closed for the season.

THE BARNUM & BAILEY CHOUS Shows here 25.

Scranton.—At the Academy of Music "Lost in the Work" May 4-6, Lillian Russell, in "The Goddess of New York" May 4-6, Lillian Russell, in "The Goddess of Truth," 7.

THE FROTHINGHAM.—The Noss Jollity Co. closed the regular season April 29. Willett and Thorns were ten-dered a benefit May 2, which was a success.

Erie.—At Park Opera House Effie Elisier, in "As You Like It," played, April 30, to large audience.

J. E. Girand's Wonderland Muser and Theatre.—Closed 30, for the season.

Walter L. Main's Circus comes May 9.....Minnie Blumer, soprano soloist, of this city, has been engaged by Gilmore's Band for concerts in Philadelphia, May 13,

Altoona .- At the Eleventh Avenue Opera House ATHOMA: At the Eventur Avenue Opera House Tony Pastor appeared to a large sullence April 28, closing the regular season. Managers Mishler & Myers have made a inancial success of their venture. "Paradise HARRY DAVIS" EDEN MUSER had good business week of April 27. This week. "The Country Circus," with Fakino's Oriental Japanese Troupe.

Eastón.—At the Able Opera House Nat Good-win played to a large house April 27. "For Fair Vir-guina" did Gair business 29. "The Merry Makers," in re-pertory, came May 4-9..... Barnum & Balley's Circus is billed for 28.

Lancaster.—At the Fulton Opera House Tony
Pastor and company came to a large house April 27.
"Trilby" played to very good business 30.

OHIO.

Cincinnati.-Both the musical and dramatic season came to an end last week, and the May Festival at Music Hall is the next event that will attract the attention of that portion of the world of society with well

Cincinnati.—Both the musical and dramatic season came to an end last week, and the May Festival at Music Hall is the next event that will attract the attention of that portion of the world of society with well developed ears for melody. The auction sale of seats for the festival of 1896 took place at College Hall, and attracted the usual crowds of fashion's votaries with a sprinkling of speculators. During the sale one thousand six hundred and ninety seven seats were disposed of at premioure ranging from \$1 to \$0 per seat and six hundred and ninety seven seats were disposed of at premioure ranging from \$1 to \$0 per seat and \$2.33.55, while the total receipts were \$32,773.55. The success of the festival is thus assured.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—"Uncle Tom's Cabin" has gore, and when the curtain fell on the allegorical tableau, May 2, it marked the close of the season. The week proved fairly profitable, for the tariff was low, and there were daily street parades, in which Uncle Tom, Eva, Marks, the donkey and the bloodbounds all trailed after the brass band, to the delight of the juvenile multitude. The Clincinnait dymnasts give an athletic entertainment \$8.\$ FOUNTAIN SQUARK TIESATES.—Floyd Lauman and \$8.\$ Schessing and the state of the season at the house. The olio was provided by the Exeter Minstrels, Burt Shepard, Phill and Nettle Peters, Mark Murphy and Jennie Reynolds, Louis Granat, Edna Aug, Flynn and Walker. Eddie Evans, Eddie Giguere and Blanche Boyer. "The Merry World" closed its season 2, after playing to audiences of fair size.

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Dayton.—At the Grand Opera House the Y. M. C. A. Athletic Exhibition, April 27. was largely attended by friends of the members. Louis James produced "Julius Cesar" 28. to a fair sized house. The annual police entertainment and the fair sized house. The annual police entertainment and the fair sized house. The annual police entertainment and the size of the fair sized house. The annual police entertainment and the size of the fair size and the size of the fair annual to the size of the size of the fair annual fair size of the size of the fair size of the fair size of the size of the fair size of the size

Toledo.—At the Valentine Theatre Thos. W. Keene, in "Richard III.," "Richelieu" and "Hamilet," is booked May 5, 6, 8ell Bargers, in "The County Fair," PROPLEY 5, 6, 8ell Bargers, in The County Fair," Closed a big week's business 2, "Side Tracked" comes 3 and week, Ida Van Cortrand IU and week.

RISGLING BROS. 'Circus comes 8... Manager L. M. Boda, of the Valentine Theatre, has returned from New York after booking some good attractions for next season.

Columbus.—At the High Street Theatre "A Green Goods Man" had fair business April 27, 28. Tony Fastor did well 29. Louis James did only an average business 30, May 1. "A Milk White Flag" had the best sudiences of the week 2. An innovation was tendered the audience on the occasion of the second performance of the Louis James Co., in the fourth act of "Othello," and in the seene where Othello has occasion to face Iago and demand of him proof for the charge of inconstancy, the act closes with a highly dramatic scene, in which Othello hurls Iago from him, and throws himself upon a couch, burying his face in a pillow. Just as Iago was sinking to the ground a woman, bearing in her hand a couch, burying his face in a pillow. Just as Iago was sinking to the ground a woman, bearing in her hands to have a sinking with proceeded to use in the lower and proceeded to use in the lower than the court of tay Lindeley, the impresonator of Iago. As much as twenty thows must have been rained upon him

before the curtain could be lowered. An explanation was offered by a Mr. Owens, for the management and the company, and the play proceeded to its close. The woman having been arrested and locked up, proved to be a non-professional, with a purely imaginary grievance, against Mr. Lindsley. She gave her name as Georgia Lindsley, but correspondence found upon her person was addressed to Miss Kimbali.

addressed to Miss Kimball.

Findlay.—At the Marvin Opera House "A Social Outcast," written by A. O. Marvin and P. L. Preston, of this city, and played by local talent, drew a large and appreciative audience. "Shore Acres" comes May 3..... Ringling Bros. Circus will give its first performance in this city II.

Zanesville .- At Schultz's Opera House "Shore Acres" comes May 13.... Forepaugh & Sells Bro.'s Combined Circus will be here 4.... Slowe's Big Vaudaville and Specialty Show open 2, for one week.

MISSOURI.

St. Louis.—Business has been fairly good this cek, considering the warm weather. All the houses ill soon be closed, and the open air attractions will

will soon be closed, and the open air attractions will flourish.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—Sarah Bernhardt appeared here for the first time in many years, and played to uniformly good houses. Her repertory embraced "lzeyl," "Magda," "Gismonda," "Camille' and "Pheire," in each of which she was the recipient of unbounded enthusiasm, but her "Gismonda" was not considered as good as Fanny based on the season May? GUNFIC THEATER OF THE CONTROL OF T

this week Misson's Aerial Ballet and Congress of Novel-ties and Arthur The Arrhy Winner' is a St. Louis play and drew well the past week, though it possesses sufficient merit to win anywhere. "Yruisken Lawn," with Dan McCarthy, is the closing attraction. HAGAN OFERA HOUSE.—"A Midnight Special" is the current attraction. Bartholomew's Equine Paradox played to a good week's business. The Hagan is the most airy Summer house in the city. Hi Henry's Min-strels follow.

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ESHRE'S ALHAMBEA PALACE THRATRE.—Brooks and Floyd, La Varnie Sisters, the Doyles, Cole and Oretto, Billy Wolff, Wallace Sisters, Tille Collins, Minnie Palmer, Lillian Welch, Frank I. Gay and stock.

LONDON THEATRE.—Reese and Swan, Nina Mason, the Hurleys, Lillie Masson, Tom Dalton, Emma Redmond, Swartz Sisters and stock.

New Casho.—Morris and Parker, Dalton and Boyle, Higgins and Milligan, Loretta De Lile, Goldie Lavert, Nellie Adams, Cora Franklin, Carrie Feeney, Mable Higgins and Milligan, Loretta De Lile, Goldie Lavert, Nellie Adams, Cora Franklin, Carrie Feeney, Mable Higgins and Milligan, Loretta De Lile, Goldie Lavert, Nellie Adams, Cora Franklin, Carrie Feeney, Mable Higgins and Milligan, Loretta De Lile, Goldie Lavert, Lile and Carrie Feeney, Mable High Carrie Feeney, Mable High Carrie Feeney, Mable High Class High Class Comedy Co, with a strong cast, will open the seison here May 14. It is a tent show of unusual merit, ... C. M. Lasley, the young tragedian, Irom Fortland, Ore., visited friends here last Sunday, ... A high class minstrel show from high society graced the boards at Germania Theatre several evenings "O'Grady's Mislaps," Rater, Theatre opened 3, with Stockers Esher, Chas. D. Pearce, Kelly Bros., the Shaeffers, Franklin and Follow.—The premiser several base classed.

Kansas City.—The regular season has closed at all the houses, with the exception of the Grand. The parks are all opening this week, and outdoor attractions will be the rule.

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GRAND OFERA HOUSE.—Jas. J. Corbett came last week in "Naval Cadet." The ball game interferred with the matinee, but Sunday night the usual S. R. O. sign was out. Business kept up throughout the week. This week, Al. Spink's "The Derby Winner," and next week, Dan McCarthy, in "The Cruiskeen Lawn."

MINTH STREET THEATER.—Katie Purnam, in "The Old Lime Klin," closed the regular season and her own season levels of the company of the

St. Joseph.—At Tootle's Theatre the house has been dark since April 25, when James J. Corbett, in "A Naval Cadet," had light business. Clay Clement, in "The New Bominion," plays return engagement May 4, which CRAWFORD'S THEATRE.—The house was dark the past week. Robert Ingersoll comes 4.

EDEN MUNKE.—Business the past week was fair. The people for week of 4 are the Jacobs Family, Helen Fox, Jas. Fulton, Raymond and Clark, the Johnsons, Herr Huber and wife and Annie Ryan.

THE WALLACE SHOWS had good business 30, notwithstanding the threatening weather.... The Forepaugh-Sells Bros. Circus is billed for June 17.

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Robson presents "Mrs. Ponderbury's Past" May 7, 8 and matimes 9, and "The Henrietta" 9.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The Royal Hawaiian Rand, an other week of Lew Dockstader, this time in white face, and the week of Lew Dockstader, this time in white face, and the week of Lew Dockstader, this time in white face, and the week of Lew Dockstader, this time in white face, and the week of this week, opening 3. Business was fairly good last week despite the continued showers. Beginning 10, a comedy season will be inaugurated with a new stock company, the bill for the first week being "Our Strategists."

BIDGO OFREA HOUSE.—Chas. A. Gardner, in "Father land," April 27-31, drew fairly good attendance, ending the season at this house.

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Eau Claire.-Chas. Gardner drew a fair he april 22, at the Grand. John Stapleton's Co. pleased a cond house 24. The Browne Theatre Co. was the attrac-ion week of 27. Slayton's Jubilee Singers appear May in lecture course, and Fred Warde comes 4, which will lose the regular season.

Fond du Lac.—At the Crescent the Chicago Fond du Lac.—At the Crescent the Chicago farine Band. April 27, came to good business. "Joshua impains," 29, had a fair sized audience. Nellie Mc-lenry, in "A Bicycle Girl," comes May 4, "The Fast

ARKANSAS.

Hot Springs.—At the Opera House, April 27,
"Sam'l of Posen," with M. B. Curtis in the title role,
draw a fair sized audience. "McCarthy's Mislans,"
tooked for May I, failed to materialize. The Jennie Hol
man Co. opens a week's engagement 4, at popular prices
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Under the Tents

Lewis Livingston, of the Four Livingstons, sends the following from Guatamala, C. A.: "I send you a few notes from the Circo Escoces, Madame Poisson, proprietress, located at Guatamala City, Guatemala, Central America. We left New York Feb. 29, and arrived at Colon March 7, went across the Isthmus of Panama by rail to Panama, to take the Patific mail S. S. for San Jose de Guatamala. As the steamer was four days late, we gave two performances in the Opera House at Panama, to very good business, then came on to Guatamala, arriving March 24. Opened March 25, to packed business, which has continued to date. We are showing in the Plaza de Toro (buil ring), under canvas, looft, top, with 50fl, middle plece. Admission as follows: Pifteen palcos (foxes), six chairs, \$12; fifteen palcos, four chairs, \$5; two hundred and fifty lunetas (chairs, \$1.50; forty length of circus seats, 75c. List of people: The Bannacks, Roma and Alfred, acrobatic musical clowns; Ida Bannack, aerial act; Robi, Lee, equilibrist, juggler and rolling globe; Francoise Albertine, lion performer, with three lions, assisted by his wife, Madame Cochell and Sisters, French dancers; D'Alma Family, four people, and John D'Alma, with his troupe of dogs and monkeys; Lottle and Myrtle, Japperch; Madame D'Alma, slack wire; Devene and wife, aerial act and French comiques; Livingston Family, acrobats, posturers and riders; proprietress, Madame Poisson; business manager, Alfred Bannack; agent, J. Cipriani; director, John D'Alma, all well and plenty of money, fine weather and good business. The CLIPTER, dated March 28, came to hand April 11, and was as good as a Xmas gift.

Bartine Show Notes.—Things about the quarters at Lebanon, O., are fast assuming a business shape. Will Totton has just received two new cages for his trained animals. We have added three more span of gray horses. Capl. Sansser has purchased a fine span of cream colored ponies for his own will be ready to run out of the shop shortly and will be a handsome affair. Win. Armstrong has all his peop LEWIS LIVINGSTON, of the Four Livingstons, sends the following from Guatamala, C. A.: "I send

season, which opens June 1, at Watertown, Wis. The show will tour Wisconsin, Illinois, Iowa and Minnesota.

Paul Du Val, formerly known as Samuel Burt, has just concluded a successful engagement with Ringling Brothers' World's Greatest Shows for their season of three weeks in Chicago, Ill.

Notes from the Hunting Rallboad Shows,—We are ear route East, and will shortly strike the New England States, where an extensive tour will begin. The show has been doing a big business. It is the strongest combination ever put on the road by Robert Hunting. The latter is now in the East looking after his business, and will return 7. Mrs. Hunting and Treasurer Crosby are looking after our business. Everybody is well and happy. The Annex, with Prof. Charles Gritin in charge, is a big feature. Prof. Griffin is well known throughout Pennsylvania, and his friends are always glad to see him. The first stckness with the show occurred last week, when Tony Hunting was attacked with the measles. The little fellow has greatly improved, and will be out again in a few days. He is a great favorite with all the attaches of the show. Charles Morton, with advertising car No. 1, has resigned, to accept a position in Harrisburg, Pa., his home.

Notes From The Great Olympic Shows.—We open our eighth annual season at Louisville, Pa., May 2, with a brand new outfit and the following roster: A. F. Tuttle, sole proprietor and manager: Mrs. A. F. Tuttle, banjo comedian; superintendent of canvas, Jim Farrell; boss hoster, Dad Allen;

MICHIGAN.

Detroit .- At the Lyceum, this week, "The Dev this season, drew fairly good houses; the matiness crowded. Wm. Barry, in "The Rising Generation," is bounded for May 11-16 and John Stajiston 8 slock Co. 18-23.

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ate enough to see it.

Whitney's Grand Opera House—This week Dan't
ully, in "The Corner Grocery." Last week Ida Van

acting. WonderLand Theatric and Musick.—Curio hall: Mme. Meyer, bearded lady; Eli Bowen, legless wonder; Panachaska, bird charmer; South Sea Island Joe and wife. Theatre Carlisle Dog Circus, Shayne and Worden, Mile. Vera. Allen May, illustrating songs, and Watson and Hutchins.

Grand Rapids.—At Powers' Opera House the Baldwins, week of April 27, played to fair business. Alex. Salvini, in "The Three Guardsmen," comes May 5, Stuart Robson 14, "The Rivals" 20. GRAND OPERA HOUSE.—"Darkest Russia," April 30-May 2, played to good houses.—Ida Van Cortiand comes 4-9. Saith's OPERA HOUSE.—Manager Smith during week of 14 donates the house to the use of the stage employes.

Kalamazoo.—At the Academy of Music Alex-inder Salvini comes May 4, in "Darkest Russia" 5, the uncrican Mulattons. GRAND OFRA HOTSE.—This house was dark last week, uit will reopen May 4 with a comedy company.

Saginaw.—Neil Burgess, in "The County Fair," May 2, played to good business. "A Trip to Chinatown," which was booked for April 2s, canceled, Alexander Saivini comes May 6, "Darkest Russia." 7.

Jackson.—At Hibbard's the Tavary Opera Co. came to a good house April 25, "Darkest Russia." pleased a fair house 26. Alexander Saivini May 8.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Boston.—The openings of the present week will be rather quiet as contrasted with that of last week. The engagement of Jas. A. Herne and company, in "Shore Acres," May 4, at the Boston Theatre, has aroused considerable interest, "Shore Acres" won its first success in this city, and the sales indicate the hold it still has upon the Boston public. Jefferson's week in "Ruy Van Winkle," which closed 2, was a series of huge audiences.

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COLUMBIA THEATRE.—Manager Barton's house presents the only novelty of the week. "The Great Northwest" will be seen for the first time in this city, with William Courtleigh, Frances Drake, Minnie Dopree, Emmet cortigan and others in the cast. Week of 11, "On Erin's Shores." Chauncey Olcott closed one of the most successful engagements at this house, with "Minstrel of Clare," 2.

BOSTON MUNEUM.—Kellar, assisted by Mrs. Kellar, opens at this house 4, in a three weeks' engagement. Following him, 18, comes Salvini. "The Wisard of the Nile" closed 2. after three weeks of very good business. Hollars STREET THATER.—"The Sporting Ducheas" has closed its first week of enormous business at this house. Much of the success of the Boston presentation is due to the beautiful stage setting, for which elaborate preparations have been made by Manager Rich. It will run until further notice.

Howdoods Suclare Theatre.—The new "Carmen" of Elita Proctor Oils has crowded Manager Atkinson's House the just week. The crudities of the first performance the just week smoothly. Miss Oils' "Varmen" was vivid, realistic and strong, and Louis Massen's Escamillis sery satisfactory. The piece will run through the present, its second week. On II, Richard Golden, in "Old Jed Prouty."

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Pakk Theatre.—Gunter's new play, "A Florida Euchantment," drew fair houses only during its first week. A few necessary alterations and excisions have made a smoother production possible. Sybil Johnstone, May Harry, "Carence Heritage, Eitherforman and beatwell Herse, Clarence Heritage, Eitherforman and Lew will be the second and last of the play. Week of II, "The Village Postmaster."

Termost Theatre,—"Robin Hood" has lost none of its popularity, judging from the results of the past week. The old favorites in the Hostonians were containly welcomed, and of the new ones Harold Hlake, and Alice Nelssen created favorable impressions. "Robin Hood." "A War Time Wedding" and "Trince Anamie."

"A War Time Wedding" and "Trince Anamie." We stock opera company of this theatre. "The Huguenots" will be given during the present week. The management in augurates their Summer season with the introduction of promenade concerts in the fover by the Boston Ideal Banio, Mandolin and Guitar Club.

KEITH'S NEW THEATRE—Amann, impersonator, and mimic, is a special announcement for the present week. The Martinetti troupe of pantominuits were well received last week, and are held over for this week. The Martinetti troupe of pantominuits were well received last week, and are held over for this week. The Martinetti troupe of pantominuits were well received last week, and are held over for this week. The Martinetti troupe of pantominuits were well received last week, and are held over for this week. The Barine, Barine Huguenote "All the Comforts of Home," by Gillette, and the vaude ville programme will include doe Thatcher. Gelbrue "Barine Huguenote" and Health, Della Rocca, Iron, Illal and O'Lynn, Thomas Glynn, Murphy and Mark, the Dunbars, the Jammon, Ports Firm, Marie and Health, Cara word of the particular and Ange

Louise Hanson, Etta Goodrich, May Wheeler and Lebe Foleson.
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Morks.—William Schuster (basso, formerly with the Tavary Opera Company, has been engaged by the Castle Square management as an alternate for William Wolff, He makes his first appearance in "The Huguenots" May 4. A. I. Sheehan, treasurer of the Tremont Theatre, benefits at that house Sunday evening, 10. ... Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taber have been in Booston the past few days attending rehearsals of "The Rivals." ... Friday, 29, is the date set for the Boston performance of "The Rivals" by the star cast.

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Rich's Theatrik.—A house show of the vandeville clique was run in 27–28; to rather light business. This week darkness prevails. Coming. Rose Hill's English Folly Co. 11-13, Flynn and Sheridan's Big Sensation 14 fd. WONDKELAND THEATRE.—Manager Martin's place of anusement has been dark since April 18.
EDITH MASON, of the Castle Square Opera Co., was emgaged for the part of Yun Yun during last week's production of "Mikado," and made a decided hit in the part.

Lowell.—At the Opera House "Old Jed Pronty" came April 30, to a fair house. Wm. H. Craise played "The Governor of Kentucky" May I, to an audience which, numerically speaking, Lowell ought to be asbaned of. "The Rainmakers" did fair business 2 Frank Daniels, in "The Wizard of the Nile," comes 4, 5.

MUSIC HALL.—The Actors' Union Vaudeville Co. played April 37-29, to small houses. "Land of the Midnight Sun" drew fair houses 31-May 2. "The Westerner" comes 7-29.

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SAYOU THEATRE — A very fair week's business was don last week, and opening 4 for week are Ola Hayden, Frances Harrison, Patterson Bros., Hayden and Hetherton the Pattens, Lavender and Tomson, and James Bingham

Rehan appeared, to big business, at Manager James F. Rock's benefit, April 27. Richard Golden, in "Old Jed Pronty," had fair business 28. William H. Crane, in "The Governor of Kentucky," had a big bouse 39. Frank Daniels, in "Wizard of the Nile," comes May 6, "Trithy", "The old Homestead" 3, Cromes May 6, "Trithy", "The old Homestead" 3, University of the Nile, "Grimes R. Mackie, in "Grimes" Cellan Boot, "drew big houses all last week. Rocker and Dosy's Area House, "Leavitt's "Spider and by" drew good houses all last week. Rentz-Sanley by drew good houses all last week. Rentz-Sanley

MECHANICS' HALL.—Sousa's Band drew a big crowd 2. "GRIMES' CELLAH DOOR" finished its season here 2.

Spring field.—At Gilmore's Court Square Thea-re, April 3), Irving and Terry appeared in "The Mer-bant of Venice," to one of the largest houses of the sea on. "The Rivals" comes May 4, "Eight Bella" it ITCKKES PARIOR THEATRE. Week of 4: Prof. Fred toks, Harry and Fred Mayo, Harry Koppe, the Blosson isters, Mile. Stevare, Flor Zeller, and the two Carles.

Lynn.—At the Lynn Theatre Sousa's Band came in the Hood course, April 2s, to a packed house. Donnelly and Girard produced "The Rainmakers" 3), to a small business. Handon's "Superlas" did good business May 1, 2. Coming entertainments are: A. G. Southwick, and a company from the Emerson College of Oratory, in "Richelleu," 6; a testimonial to E. K. Hood, and the annual benefit ministrel show of Lynn Lodge of Elika S. Lawrence.—The Corse Payton Co. held the boards at the opera house for the week of April 27-May 2, playing to good houses, at popular prices, Coming Camille D'Arville, in "Madeleine, or the Magic Kies," May 6, Ward and Vokes S.

COLORADO.

Denver .- At the Tabor Grand Opera House April 26 and week, "A Trip to Chinatown" played to hig BEOADWAY THEATRE - Murray and Mack, in "Finn

BEOADWAY THEATER.—Murray and Mack, in "Finningan's Bail," did fair business last week.

ORPHEND THEATER.—A. Y. Pearson's Co., in "The Derly Mascot," played to good houses last week.

LYCKUS THEATER.—A. So new management and a new company are at this popular priced house. The montangement include Hennessy, Lee, "Management and the new company are at this popular priced house. The montangement include Hennessy, Lee, H. Houses, John J. Mason, Lettle Walle, Bernice Howard, Jennie Bowan, Week of 3, "David Garrick," with Edimond Hays, Mrs. J. K. Emmet and lanbeila Bousseau in the leading roles.

MENTION.—William Sells, manager of the Standard Theatre, New York, is in the city. The management of the Broadway and Orphenum and the managers of Murray and Mack and A. Y. Pearson's Companies were arrested for showing on Sunday. Their cases were put of until the last of the week. Martin Garrison Miner a Denver girl, who has been in New York for the last two years, is visiting her parents. Me sang one season with Innes' Rand.—Joe Newman Yeurnest this week. He has signed for next season with Panny Rios.

Pueblo.—At the Grand Murray & Mack had a lair house April 24. Eddle Foy, in "The Strange Adven-tures of Miss Brown," did well 27. Couning, "A Trip to Chinatown" May 5, "Fudd nhead Wilson! 29. TOLLENIA THEATER - This house will soon be taken noid of by Manager G. & Beede, of the triphenum, Denver,

Col., who will run it as a legitimate resort with a stock company, and will also play traveling companies. Norks—Bond Brox. Circus showed here 25, to fair busi-ness afternoon, but to poor business at night. © The Great Wallace Show is next due here on May 4.

Leadville.—At Weston's Opera House Eddie For played to good business April 29. Peter F. Dalley comes May 13, "Pudd'nhead Wilson' 28. Gollosvill's Mascort.—Gorman and Fields, Anna Milu, Dave Broderick, Eva Lester, Ed. and Kittie Welch, Wm. Rogers. Rogers.
CITY HALL.—The Kempton Councily Co. continue to draw crowded houses.

NEBRASKA.

Omaha,—At Boyd's Theatre Xavier Schar renka, piantst, will give a concert May 4. Robert Inger oll will deliver his lecture, "The Foundation of Faith;" Peter F. Dalley comes 10, 12, M. B. Curtis 13-15, Rhea 7-19.

THE CHERCHTON, Mahara's Colored Minstrels appear 3.4. Clay Clement, in "The New Dominion," comes 5, 6; "Finningan's Hall" 10, 11, Ada Reban 12, Leopoid Goldowsky, planists, 16. Spences Trans Oceanic Vandeville Codid poor business April 25, 27.

NOTES.—The Creighton Music Hall and Roof Garden, under the management of Paxton A Burgess, will open May 9, with the following performers: Dianti Bros. Le Roy and Clayton, decreased Haynes, Truly Shattuck, Leoda Mitchell". Alexander Black's picture joint, "Miss Leola Mitchell". Alexander Black's picture joint, "Miss Manager Burger cosculed at Y. M. C. A. Hall on May? Manager Burger and Company of the Co

Fremont.-At Love's Opera House the Alton tock Co. finished a week's engagement April 25, with Stock Co. finished a week's engagement April 25, with business only fair, "All American" (local) Minstrel-played to a full house 30. Carrie Louise Roy, in "Miss Jerry," comes May 6.

NEW YORK CITY.

Last Week's Events.-Affairs theatrical were exceedingly dull in this city last week. There were but few changes of altractions, and not a single novelty was presented. The weather was cool and pleasant, but nevertheless the volume of business was small, although a few favorite attractions played to satisfactory houses.....The continued attractions for the week ending May 2 were: "The Heart of Maryland" at the Herald Square, De Wolf Hopper at the Broadway, "Thoroughbred" at the Gaerick, "The Lady Slavey" at the Casino, "A Black Sheep" at Hove's, "His Absent Boy" at the Gaerbes, "Clumme Fadden" at the Standard, Andrew Mack at the American, "The Village Post MINER'S BOWERY and EIGHTH AVENUE.... Per-formances in German were given at the INVINCE PLACE and GERMANIA, and performances in Hebrew at the THALIA, WINDSOR and ADLER'S.... Two-extra performances of grand opera were given at the METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE, the first of which, given April 27, with "Tristan and Isolde" as the offering, received mention in our last issue. At the final performance, given upon the following even of Wm. A. Brady. The sensational scene which Augustin Daly claims was unlawfully taken from his play, "Under the Gaslight," and which has been the cause of much litigation, has been radically changed in the present production, in order to avoid any infringement of Mr. Daly's rights, the last decision of the Court of Appeals having sustained an injunction against Mr. Brady's use of a scene essentially similar to that in the earlier play. The play is thus cast: Old Tom, Wm. A. Brady; Sic George Medhurst, Ross O'Neal; Gordon Chumley, E. R. Mayson, Dieze Mortis, Dure Davidson, Chan E. R. Mawson; Dicey Morris, Dore Davidson; Chan-don Bellingham, Hardle Kirkland; Poynter, C. A. don Bellingham, Hardle Kirkland: Poynter, C. A. Fergueson: The Bargee, S. C. Stevens; Gambler, E. H. Bender; Area Jack, John Lame; Faro Dealer, Charles Grey; Policeman, C. H. Ross; Peter Smail, Sadle Price; Crumbets, Milton Shea; Eliza, Marie Rene; Rose Edgerston, Heten Robertson; Maid at the Lliacs, Lizzie Murtha.... Eleonora Duse gave three special matine performances at the FIFTH AVENUE THATHE during the week. She presented "Cavalleria Rusticama" and "La Locandiera" April 29, "Magda" 20, and "Camille" May 1. These were the final performances of Signora Duse prior to the results of the prior to th

prior to her return to her native land.....Lole Fuller closed her tour with a farewell performance at the METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE ON May 1. She will rest for a few weeks and then again go abroad.

At Daly's Theatre, on April 30, Augustin Daly's company gave a performance of "Countess Gucki," in the cause of charity.... Georg Engels, having returned from his brief Western trip, gave his farewell performance in this country at the Bayes Place Theatre on May 2, appearing on that occasion in "Dr. Klaus," better known here as "Dr. Clyde." The season of the bonse closed with this PETOTIBATES COME MAY 2.... The regular season of Sanford's Theatre closed May 2.... The regular season of Sanford's Theatre closed May 2, but an experi n of opera will begin 11.

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The series of promenade concerts to be given at the Metropolitan Opera House this Summer under the direction of Anton Setid will begin May 9. The entire orchestra floor will be covered for the use of the promenaders. In addition to the orchestral maste the programme will include a ballet, fairly bleycle riding and a vandeville entertainment. Smoking will be permitted in the auditorium, and the entertainment will continue from about 8.30 p. M. until nearly midnight every evening, with the exception of Sunday, when orchestral concerts, will be used solely for promenading, except on Sundays, when reserved chairs will be placed on the floor.

The box office of Miner's Eighth Avenue Theatre was forcibly entered on Sunday. April 26, and a number of Monday night's Uckets were stolen. When the theft was discovered the color of the tickets was changed, and when the stolen Uckets were presented at the door the holders of them were arrested, Joseph Reilly, John Bloomer, James Robinson, John Ryan and George Leonard being taken into custody. At the heating the last three named were discharged for lack of evidence, but Reilly and Bloomer were held in \$1.000 bail for trial.

SANTANKLIA, hyphotist, at Hammerstein's Olympia Theatre, April 29, aroused Lyman Klimer from the state of sleep into which he put him 22. There were several physicians present at the awakening of Klimer, who, as a result of his seven days' sleep, is said to have lost eighteen pounds. He appeared to be thin, but otherwise seemed to be in good condition.

HUBER'S EIGHTH AVENCE MCSEUM.—This house

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HUBER'S EIGHTH AVENUE MUSEUM.—This house continues to hold its own in the way of patronage. For this week the curlo hall transient features are: Laila Coolah, the Higgins Bros. expert ritle and pistol shots; Rattiesnake Jim and his den of smakes, Resonie, heavy weight lifter; Will Hinton, magie, and Major Andrews. Stage people: Fritz, Leste and Eddy, Colman and Martin, Eddie Clark, May Rollins, Chas. Warland and Frank Romeric.

The season of Summer Opera at Terrace Garden will open May is with the Conreid Ferenczy company, in "Der Probekuss."

MANAURE JOINS B. DORIS, of the Galety Theatre, was held for trial, April 30, in the Jefferson Market Police Court, on the charge of maintaining a public nuisance in allowing "Orange Biossonis" to be presented at his theatre. He was paroled.

Closson.—Lyceum, Daly's, Star, Sanford's, Fifth Avenue and Irving Place.

KEITH'S UNION SQUARE THEATRE.—Florrie West, in her always capably rendered specialties, divides KRITH'S UNION SQUARE THEATRE.—Florric West, in her always capably rendered specialites, divides the honors of the present week with John and Marion-Manola Mason, who for the last half of their stay have revived "Criss Cross." Miss West was received with strong evidences of popularity and scored heavily in the way of applause. The Four Moras, their American debut, offered a comic bar act, as well as a pantomime, and the Maisanos, musical grotesques, continued into their second week. The Meers Brothers, high wire experts, scored their customary hit, and Chas, and Minnie Sa Van were loudly applauded for their downright clever specialty. Fowell, a very clever sleight of hand worker, with a good magical accompaniment; the Four Angela Sisters, excellent vocalists; Waterbury Brothers and Kenna, in a good musical act, and John Howley and Palsy Doyle, dancing experts, were all especially favored in the way of applause. Baggessen and Sapphire, J. W. Hampton and his dog circus, Leonard and Bernard, and Wills and Halpin, were other entertaining members on the amusement list. Prosperily continues the managerial portion here, crowded houses having prevailed all last week, and again on Monfay, May 4, was the standing room brought into requisition for the accommodation of late arrivals.

TROCADERO MUSIC HALL.—Manager Engel has secured for the current amusement of his patrons one of the best bills has yet offered, and as an eyl-

cured for the current amusement of his patrons one of the best bills he has yet offered, and as an evidence of its attractiveness a big house was on hand on Monday evening, May 4, to witness its initiation. W. B. Watson, a real comedy German, and Jean-ette Dupree, who does a dashing French specialty. ette Dupree, who does a dashing French specialty, devoid of vulgarity, deserve much commendation for the excellence of their work. Few sketch teams make so much of the time alloted them, and the audience gave them a remarkably hearty send off, a result well merited. Zelma Rawiston has been continued into a second week because of her popularity, and by her creditable efforts started in the new period in good fashion. Nizarras, on the Spanish rings, and the Clayton Sisters, who dance much better than they sing, afforded much good amusement, and when it came time for the Manhattan Comedy Four to finish their excellent specialty the rounds of hearty applianse made It difficult for them to quit the stage. "A Musical Joke" was a new feature contributed by the orchestra, and it proved to be fully as entertaining as the specialties upon the stage. Madeline Marshall has succeeded in building up her assignment in the burlesque until it is now a feature, and Josie Gregory and Lillian Maehi still maintain their station in popularity, thus making "Fra Diavoio" one of the most entertaining portions of the bill. Next week marks the return of Paquerette, and an ovation doubtless awaits her.

American Theatric.—This is the last week of

AMERICAN THEATRE. This is the last week of the present engagement of Andrew Mack, in "Myles Aroon," at this house. For the two previous weeks this aspirant for fame as an Irlsh comedian has succeeded, solely on his merits, in attracting a series of large and fashionable audiences, which have been charmed by his admirable portrayal of have been charmed by his admirable portrayal of the Irish peasant lad, and also delighted with his undoubted talent as a singer. Previous engagements made for the theatre causes Mr. Mack to end his stay here with this week's performance, but in his engagement of three weeks he has firmly established himself as one of the best Irish singing comedians on the American stage. The theatre held a large andhence, and shouls of laughter and applause attested the appreciation of the star's acting and singing. Mr. Mack is one of the few singing comedians who can act. He has feeling, and he knows how to express it. His humor has unction and the charm of spontaneity. He has found special favor with the women theatregoers, for which his handsome, graceful presence, combined with his ability, readily accounts. His song, "An Irish Lad's Wooing," accompanied with a dance, is bound to become popular, It-has a quick happy movement, which sets the feet drumming and heads bobbing in time. It occurs at the close of the second act, and always gets three and four curtain calls. The principals in Mr. Mack's company are capable and render efficient support, notably little Florence Olp, Lida McMilian, borothy Kent, James Vincent and Win, J. Mason. A senson of English opera will begin here May is. the Irish peasant lad, and also delighted with his

expected, arrive in this city about May $10.6\,$ A committee from the Press Club will receive them at the steamer and convey them to the rooms of the club on East Twenty-sixth Street, where they will lie in state for one day, after which New York Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, will take charge and convey the remains to East, will take charge and convey the remains to Scottish Rite Hall, Madison Avenue and Twenty ninth Street, where the ritual of the Masonic order will be performed. A double quartet of male and female voices and a celebrated organis will assist at the services. It is expected that Edwin B. Hay, the past grand exalled ruler of the Order of Eks, will come from Washington, D. C., to deliver the eulogy. Deputations will come from Boston, Mass.; Brooklyn, N. V.; Washington, D. C.; Philadelphia, Pa.; Baltimore, Md.; Holosken, Newark and Elizabeth, N. J.; Abbany, Troy and Rochester, N. V., lodges, and it is stated that from Iwelve to four-teen hundred Eliss will be in the procession, which will form after the funeral-services and march to-Dr. McArthur's Church, Broadway and Fifty-seventh Street, preceded by a brass band, Masonic and religious services will be held, after which the remains will be conveyed by the B. P. O. Eks to the Grand Central Depot and taken to St. Louis, the managers of the New York Central Baltroad having offered to the widow free transportation for the same. Col. Coc kertil's remains will be interred in Elks' Rest, St. Louis, Mo., at his own request. The crowd destring to gain admittance to Scottish Rite Hall on that occasion will probably be so great that it has been determined to issue lickets. The Committee of Arrangements are: James J. Armstrong, Chas. H. Genslinger, Thomas Brogan, Geo. Scottish Rite Hall, Madison Avenue and Twenty

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ABBEY'S THEATER—Henry Irving and Ellen Terry began on May 4 a fortnight's return engagement at this house. For the opening bill two plays were gelected. Miss Terry was seen in "Godefroi and Yolande," a mediaeval play, in one act, by Laurence Irving, which, although it had been presented mon Yolande, "a mediavial play, in one act, by Laurence Irving, which, although it had been presented upon the road during the present tour, had not previously been seen in this city. It was thus cast; Philippe Le Bei, King of France, Mr. Percival; the Archishop, S. Maey; Sir Sagramour, Ben Webster; Godefrol, F. Cooper; a Doctor, S. Valentine; a Frantic Hermit, F. Tyars; Megarde, Mary Rorke; Yolande, Eden Terry, Further mention of this play will be made in our next issue. It was followed by "The Lyons Mail," in which Mr. Irving—was again seen in the familiar dual roles, Further announcements for the week include: "Macbeth" 5, 6, 7 and matinee 9. "The Merchant of Venice" 8, "Louis XI" eventing of 9.

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HUBER'S PALACE MUSEUM.—Good business prevaited at this resort, afternoon and night, on Monday, May 4, a thoroughly worthy bill being then offered for the anusement of the patrons of this favored East Side house. The curio display includes this week a bicycle confest by voung women, Mrs. Geo. Williams and her husband, the "Turtle Boy," the La Moths, aerialists; Wild Burt and Little Sure Shot, Wm. Queen and Mile, Gray, mind readers; Santenella, a wire haired individual, and Texas Ben and Annie, with their Wild West display. On the stage, entertainment is furnished by Nina Wilson, Dick Mack and Emma Coulter, Gis Garbolt, Murphy and Burke, Dolly Howe, Jas. Casey and Maggie Le Clair, the Fannion Brothers and others, STANDARD THEATER.—The final fornight- of

Maggie Le Clair, the Tanmon Brothers and others, STANDARD THEATRE.—The final fortnight of Charles H. Hopper, in "Chimmle Fadden," began May 4, when a good sized audience was present. This engagement ends the season of "Chimmle Fadden," but the theatre will remain open some weeks longer. Mr. Townsend's clever drama has had a remarkable, but fully deserved, success in this city, having run continuously since Jan. 13, when it was first produced here on the stage of another theatre. Nor did the transfer to a different theatre cause it to lose its polency, as so often happens, for the business at the Standard has exceeded that of the theatre where it was first produced. The company, as has been frequently stated in these columns, is an excellent one and continues intact.

HERALD SQUARE THEATRE.—"The Heart of Maryland" is still attracting large audiences to this house. It began on May 4 the twenty minth week of its run. On that date an important change was made in the cast, Herbert Keley then taking the role of Col. Alan Kendrick, in place of Maurice Barrymore. Without indulging in comparison, it is sufficient to say that Mr. Kelcey most creditably and acceptably acted the part. The closing performances are aunounced.

FOURTKENTH STREET THEATRE.—"The Village Postmister" began May 4 its fourth and last week. Denman Thompson's and Geo. W. Ryers' new play. "The Sunshine of Paradise Alley," is aunounced for next week. HERALD SQUARE THEATRE. - "The Heart of Mary-

TONY PASTOR'S THEATRE .- Although Prof. Ront gen has not entered the profession, there are three brilliant Rays in the bill here provided this week, and in proof of the fact that they are not X-rays, but decidedly up to date, it can be said that no cathode light was necessary for the audience to discover that Johnnie and Emma Ray were old cathode light was necessary for the audience to discover that Johnnie and Enima Ray were old friends and exceedingly potent fun producers, and to see quickly that Charlotte Ray was an attractive "new woman," with a good line of songs, all rendered in a fetching manner. Ed. Lawrence and Nina Harrington, another brace of old line favorites, renewed their past success, the amount of appliance accorded them sending them well up among the hits of the show. Pauline Cooke and May Clinton made their adeptness with target guns one of the strongest features of the bill, and gained a generous degree of well merited appliance. Charles Boyle and Carrie Graham worked hard and provoked no end of fun: Lulu Thies found favor for her clever wench act; Add Ryman ane Etta Berger were successful in their sketch, and the Burt Sisters found considerable favor. Others who contributed to the bill were Baldwin and Daly, the Two Carles, Ida Russell, the Two Kidds, Burton and Clyde Stanley, A. J. Talbot, and Farley and Welch. Bushness maintains a most prosperous standard, the attendance on Monday, May 4, being sufficient to keep the sealing space weil filled continually, and at times overrunning the standing room, thus proving that paliatable vandeville mennes presented continuously, and at prices exceedingly moderate, are exactly suitable to the desires of the client of this popular annusement place.

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PROCTOR'S THEATHS.—A more varied or mentor-lous bill than is put forward during the present week is seldom in evidence at this resort, and the alertness of the long list of patrons of this house was proven by the size and fervidly expressed ap-proval of the audience assembled on Monday, May proval of the audience assembled on Monday, May
4. First in importance on the current programme
is Burko, an European magician, who claims precedence on the list, not because of any extraordinary
merit in the entertainment he presents, but to the
fact that some degree of importance is attached to
his act by reason of the fact of this being his first
appearance on a domestic stage. His methods are
somewhat removed from the commonplace, and
several of his tricks of sleight of hand, which is
clearly,his forte, were extremely clever. Another
pair of newcomers to the vandeviles were the strong
men, Gotfried Wuttrich and Henry Weiner, who execute the usual feats of dumbbell and weight
lifting, and use the cabinet to display their muscular development. Barring the crudeness of their
performance, which might well be excused when
consideration is given to the fact that their performance on Monday was the first given in public, they
proved their life to a piace well forward among
men of physical prowess. A brace of favorites
were John Kernell and Lottle Gilson, and they received their usual share of homage. Crimmins and
Gore gave the grotesque act with which they
long ago gained repute in the realm of variety,
and its potency is in no way diminished,
nor has the popularity of its interpreters given any
evidence of waning, despite their off repeated appearance on local boards. The Hewlettes were
greeted as become their standing in the profession, and Brown and Harrison met with a deservedly
cordial reception. Others whose efforts brought
them encouraging returns were Fannie Fields,
Gertie Harrington, Chass. M. Ernest, Marion Elis,
Theodore, ventriloquist; Clarice Vance, David Genaro, Carrie Fredericks, De Camo, comedy juggler,
and Edward Clarence.

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have no effect upon the attendance at this resert 4. First in importance on the current programme

KOSTER & BIAL'S .- Weather conditions appear to and good business continues to be the rule, the house on Monday night being crowded, despite the warm wave which came upon us so suddenly. There were no new numbers on the bill presented warm wave which came upon us so suddenly. There were no new numbers on the bill presented May 4, for the week, but the large audience gave full evidence of approval for the excellent enter-tainment given. The vitascope continued to be a strong feature, and each picture shown called forth storms of applause, the surf scene being shown twice in response to an encore. Albert Chevalier began his seventh week a continued favorite. He rendered four of the songs given on his first appearance in America, which were received with favor, ida Fuller, in her drapery dances, began her seventh week, and met with the recognition her work mertied. Since her first appearance Miss Fuller has made marked progress in her work, and she now certainly ranks with the first in her class. The colored lights are now used most effectively, and the effects in her dances are excellent. Other popular holdovers were: Paulinetti and Pico, gymnasts, fourth week; the Three Delevines, grotesques, sixth week; Win. Olschansky and, wife, with their trained cats and rats, seventh week; ther Grats, with his trick baboon and donkey, fifth week; the Brothers Horn, assisted by Charlotte Hallett, in a sketch, fifth week, and Mons, and Mme. Ducreux-Geralduc, French duettists, fourth week.

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rocutiones to give his patrons gilt edged enter-tainments, and for his care in this direction is reap-ing his-reward at the box office. The bill for week of May 4 was almost an all star affair, and was wel-comed by audiences of liberal proportions on Mon-day. The Marlo-Dunham trio, on the triple hori-zontal bars, made their reappearance and won rounds of applause. Billy Emerson was on the programme, but was too ill to appear at the open-ing performance. Bonnie Thornton, comedienne, was again seen and was given a most gratify-ing reception. The lipssell Brothers, as the Irish Ser-vant Girls, seemed to be as warm favorties-as ever, and Charles T. Ellis, assisted by Clara Moore, in a sketch, continued to give entire satisfaction. Other popular-holdovers were: Virginia Aragon, James E. Hoey, and Sheriman affit Morisey, while Eleanor Falk, comedienne; Lizzle Wilson, in a German spe-cialty; Mabel Sisson, singing soubrette; Kamochi, magactan, and Ray Vernon, serio comic singer, found favor as new comers. or continues to give his patrons gilt edged enter

MINER'S EIGHTH AVENUE THEATRE. - The regula season of this house came to an end night of May 2. On Monday night, 4, Edward F. Rush secured the house and placed one of his "White Crook" companies on for a week. Manager Rush's tenancy of the house will continue as long as the companies on for a week. Manager Rush's tenancy of the house will continue as long as the patronage will warrant him in keeping it. The company selected for the first week is one of the strongest and most complete of its kind, and has been on tour all season, but had never appeared at this house until Monday night. It is presumed that the weather conditions will have a material effect upon the length of Mr. Rush's venture. The company engaged this week, besides having a host of pretty and shapely women in its roster, who appear in two musical skits, entitled "A Royal Reception at Monte Carlo" and "White Crooks at the Island of Hoodoo," contains the following well-known specialty people: Lena La Couvier, Dixon and Lang, Nellie Franklyn, Howard and Earl, Barr and Evans, and the Meadow Brook Quartet, Nellie Franklyn also leads in the burlesques. On Monday night the complimentary testimonial to Frank Calder and Edward Weeks, advertising agent and door tender of the house, respectively, served to pack the house.

Hammerstein's Olympia, Music Hall—"Mar-

HAMMERSPEIN'S OLYMPIA. - Music Hall- Marguerite" began May 4 the thirteenth and last week of its successful run. It is still high in popular favor, its successful run. It is still high in popular favor, and Manager Hammerstein announces that he will again present it at this house next season. Weber and Fields, the well known exponents of German comedy, made their first appearance at this house, and were given a cordial reception. Their new skit, "English as She is Speaked do 4t," won many laughs. The Avolo Trio, xylophone players, entered their second week prime favorites. Papinta, mirror dancer, fourth week, was still popular, and the Fredericks. Troupe of demon athletes held over and won hearty applause for their work. The Sisters Caselli, comediennes, seventh week, continued to win approval for their singing and dancing. The Tiller Troupe of dancing girls, fourth week, were also holdover favorites. Fregoli, the man of many voices, will make his American debut 11. Theative—Santanelli, hypotist, closed 2. The house is now dark.

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AMERICAN MUSEE.—According to the bills this house, formerly Worth's Museum, and for a short time known as the Nickelodeon, has been renamed, and is now the American Musee. Manager F. D. Hewes reports business to be excellent. For this week, in the theatre portion of the building, the Georgia Colored Minstrels hold forth, while the museum attractions are: May Brooks, Moletamo, Van Zandt, Guilmette, Mine. Clare and Patsy Bodyar.

BROADWAY THEATEE.—De Wolf Hopper began on May 4 the third week of his engagement in Sousa and Kiein's comic opera, "El Capitan." The attendance thus far has been eminently satisfactory.

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RICHARD WATSON, the first treasurer of the Har-lem Opera House, has been re-engaged for that position.

EMPIRE THEATER.-Wm. Gillette's exceedingly entertaining three act farce, "Too Much Johnson," began on May 4 a fortnight's engagement at this nouse. This play enjoyed a lengthy run in this city last season, and has since made a successful It deservedly ranks as one of the best plays tour. It deservedly ranks as one of the best plays of its class, and, in fact, among modern farces it of its class, and, in fact, among modern farces it has few rivals. An important factor of its original metropolitan success was the excellence of its interpretation at the hands of Mr. Gillette and the supporting company, and, as there have been no important changes in the cast, the performance now has the advantage of the ripened experience and thorough harmony of action of the various principals, resulting in an ensemble effect difficult to surpass. The imperturbable coolness of Augustus Billings, and the evidently sincere perturbation of all those who are affected by his mendacity, is very entertaining, and as nearly convincing as is possible with the farcical treatment of the theme. Wm. Gillette, Mand Haslam, Kate Meek, Samuel Reed, Raiph-Delmore, Chas. J. Bell, Robert Hickman and Benjamin Hendricks are still in possession of their original roles; consequently, there are but four changes in the cast. Of the new incumbents Anna Belmont, as Leonora Faddish, and W. Hull Crosby, as Henry McIntosh, were in every way satisfactory, and the minor roles of the notary and the messenger were creditably filled by Thos. Benjamin and J. F. Rickard. There was good attendance, and the short®engagement should prove profitable if the advancing warm weather will permit.

Miner's Bowery Theatre.—Joseph Oppen-

beimer brought his "Zero" Co. to the Bowery for the first time this season, and opened to fair sized the first time this season, and opened to fair sized houses at the matinee and evening performances on Monday, May 4. A distinctly pronounced spectacular effect pervades the performance, and the costumes and scenic accoutrements are of the best. M. Florence Edwards, as Cygnus Isolde, played the principal role in a highly satisfactory manner. Joe Madden was extremely funny as Jerome O'Brien in search of the Pole, and John Bryant, Fred C. Fish, Frank Quigg, Lillian Cleaver, James Curran, Charles Banks, Lewis Cross, Carrie Monroe, Lucy Monroe and A. Leir were instrumental in furnishing amusement incidental to the play. The dances and marches introduced were quite cleverly executed, and the Trilby dancers, the social gavotte and a tough quartet were pleasing features. Specialities were submitted for consideration by Valdo, an instrumental mimic, who rendered some clever imitations; Bryant and Cleaver, a duo of singers; Charles Banks, whose make up and monologue created much laughter; Fish and Quigg, the two eccentric comedians; Hodges and Launchmere, the clever team of colored singers and dancers, and Madden and Curran, in a lively interchange of celtic wit. Miss Edwards' dance and the electrical climax concluded the show in an effective finale. Next week, the City Sports Show.

PROFILE'S THEATHE.—"Land of the Midnight ouses at the matinee and evening performances PEOPLE'S THEATRE.-"Land of the Midnight Sun," a play which recommends itself strongly to the admirers of sensational melodrama, was prethe admirers of sensational melodrama, was presented here, to a fairly well filled house, on Monday, May 4. Wilton Taylor is seen to good advantage in the heroic role of Jason. Paul Menifee, as Sunlocks, was also a strong factor in the east. Geo. W. Walters, as Jollyweather, contributed a character as the jolly sea dog, which was highly appreciated. Belle Stoddard, as Maida Maitland, looked handsome and acted well. Others in the cast were Edwin Franklin. David Hanchett, Edward Hume, Ed. Giroux, J. F. Watson, E. Franklin, Jessie Lester, Nellie Walters, Mrs. Geo. W. Walters, Louse Blanchett, J. W. Marion, Eugene Epson, Geo. Carleton and Herbert Dorman. Geo. W. Walters is the manager of the tour, with C. L. Walters as business manager. Next week, "The World Against Her."
London Theatres.—Maco's City Club Co. opened to good business on Monday afternoon and evening, May 4. The programme, which abounds in ginger, was heartly enjoyed. No changes are noted in the same. Next week, the Actors' National Protective Union Co.

Hoyte's Theatre.—"A Black Sheep" began on May 4 the twenty-ninth and final week of its run. It has enjoyed a successful season here and has won a place aimong Mr. Hoyt's best plays.

CASINO.—"The Lady Slavey" entered on May 4 upon the fourteenth week and the last fortnight of its run. It will be followed, May 25, by Canary & Lederer's third annual review, "in Gay New York."
The house will be closed week of its, to permit of final rehearsals of the new production.

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GARDEN THEATRE.—"HIS Absent Boy" began on May 4 the fifth week of its run.

Palmer's Theatre.—Prof. Herrmann entered on May 4 upon the second week of his stay. His many entertaining tricks and his clever illusions have been greatly enjoyed by both old and young, and Mine. Herrmann's bewildering dances have nightly exoked storms of ambause.

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GARBICK THEATRE.—Raiph Lumley's rollicking comedy, "Thoroughbred," is nightly playing to the capacity of this house. It began on May 4 its third week.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—"After Dark" entered May 4 upon its second and last week.

THE fifteenth annual meeting of the Actors' Fund of the United States will be held at Hoyt's Theatre June 2, af 11 o'clock A. M., when the election of officers will take place.

Harlem .- At the Harlem Opera House Robert Harlem.—At the Harlem Opera House Robert Hilliard made his first appearance in this part of the city as a star May 4, in "Lost—24 Hours," before a large and appreciative audience and met a warm reception. The show seemed to give satisfaction and should draw well all the week. Next week, Hammerstein's "Marguerite." COLUMIES—Lewis Morrison, in "Faust," began a week's engagement under favorable circumstances, and as this is his first Harlem appearance in several years, and judging from the crowded house that greeted his opening, the prospects are good for a week of big business. Next week, "The Law of the Land."

OLUMPIC—"The White Crook" drew a crowded house at their opening at this house, and will, with cool weather, do a good week's business, as the ladies are shapel; and the costumes up to the standard. The first part is funny and put the audience in good humor. Next week, Joe Oppenheimer's spectacular production, "Zero."

NEW YORK STATE.

Brooklyn .- Lillian Russell's engagement at the columbia Theatre last week was brought to a suit den termination on account of a severe cold. Miss Russell supeared on the opening night, April 17, although ner voice troubled her considerably, but rather than disappoint the large audience present she appeared against the advice of the physician. There were no performances at the columbia on Tuesday and Weduesday Russell would be supeared against the advice of the physician. There were no performances at the columbia on Tuesday and Weduesday Russell would be resulted to Thursday evening that the first line, and Mr. Ling, who appeared with her in duct, came to the rescue promptly, and dinished the song Miss Russell essayed to sing another song, but stain broke down in the first line. During the remainder of the acts he made no attempt to sing. As song the second of the act she made no attempt to sing. As song the second of the acts he made no attempt to sing. As song the second of the acts have done in the first line. During the remainder of the acts he made no attempt to sing. As song the second of the acts have down in the first line. During the remainder of the acts he made no attempt to sing. As song the second of the acts have down in the first line. During the remainder of the acts have down in the first line. During the remainder of the acts have a subject to the remainder of the acts of the popular control of song another song, but acts the second of the acts of the popular standard of

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Hyder & Benhan's.—The Junes of the dessed for the season with two performance had been prepared, and two large audiences were present. There were a great many volunteers, among whom were: Helene Mora, Munnis Schulz, Sam Bernard, Johnny Wild and Frank Wills, Newboys' Quartet and the Leonard Brothers.

Amphion.—The house is dark this week, but will reopen il, with the Whitney Opera Co., in "Rob Roy."

Amenican.—The success attendant on N. S. Wood's engagement here last week has induced him to stay another week. He bad the support of the stock company il, in "The Orphans of New York," and was greeted by an andience that taxed the seating capacity of the house. The play for next week has not yet been selected.

Brookly, News on the programme are: Grante and Maud, Eulaile, Redding and Stanton, May Wentworth, Mayner Kelso and Lexter and Williams. Summer prices will rule here after this week.

Empire.—Jack Skels's Yaudeville Co. opened here 4, to a good sized audience.

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UNIQUE.—There was a good sized audience present 4, when kice & Barton's Rose Hill Buriesque Co. began a week's stay. The property was not advantage in a week's stay. The property was not advantage in a replaced by Miss Clara Laurence, Crawford and Manning, Van and Leelie, Mae Lowery, and Barton and Eckhoff. Rush's White Crook Burleaque Co. comes II.

SOME EXCITEMENT WAS CAUSED at the American Theatre, 2, when Constables Boyle and O'Rourke attached the box office and scenery for salary alleged to be due D. H. Murdock, a member of the stock company. N. S. Wood claimed ownership of the scenery and disclaimed any knowledge of the creditor. Messrs, Bohmer A Runner also denied owing Murdock any money. The constables were persistent, and during a portion of the performance occupied conspicuous positions on the stage, to the wonderment of the audience and the annoyance of the actors. Finally Messrs, Bohmer A Runner paid the alleged claim under protest, and threatened to secure legal redress.

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Albany.—The past week was a very satisfactory one to the managers. The Leland Opera House had "Madame Sans Gene," with Kathryn Kidder in the title role, for April 28-39, and very large audiences expended. Emily by an experiment of the control of the part of the

Rochester.—The Lyceum remains dark May 4, 5. The stock company of the Irving Place Theatre, New York City, opens 6, for two nights, playing "Nachruhm" and "Der Raub der Sabinerinnen," in German. "The Gay Parisians" will-be given 8, 9. "Eight Bells" played to fair patronage last week. Sarah Bernhardt, in "La Tosca." comes 14. Cook Opens House.—Chas. L. Davis, in "Alvin Joslyn," opens 4. "Human Hearts" will be presented 6, 7. "Roanoke," a new play, by Hall Reid, will be given its first representation on any stage at this house, 8. "The Gilhooly's Abroad" had a fair following the last half of last week. For week of it the house will be dark.
ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The Noss Jollity Company pre-Matson Sisters Co. did well last week. For week of it the house will be dark.
THE WOMERLAND has the following recepte billed for the current week: McCloud and Melville, Bruns and Nina, Prof. Wm. A. Perry, Walter and Mamie Deaves, Edwards and Neilson, Mack and Elliott and the Williams trio of vocalists and musicians. Business continues good.
BRUCKE'S MUSIC HALL.—The people this week are:

trio of vocalists and musicians. Business continues good.

BRUCKER'S MUSIC HALL.—The people this week are:
A. C. Lawrence, Rose Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Andy McGiee, Mattie Webb, Louise McEvoy and A. A. Mack, Sorsa's Baxb will be at the Lyceum May 31.... The Walter L. Main Circus is billed in this city for 12.

Syracuse.—At Wieting Opera House "Alabama" delighted large audiences April 29-30. Ellen Beach Yaw did well May 1. Effic Ellsler, in "Camille" and "As You Like It," 4.5; "The Gay Parisians" 6.7, the Irving Place Stock Co. 8, 9.

RASTABLE THEATRE—Prof. Lee, hypnotist, mystifled and pleased fair sized audiences week of 27. This engagement closes the regular season. "The Kivals," all star cast, is booked for the afternoon of May 27. Sarah Bernhardt, in "La Tosca," May 15.

H. R. JACOBS THEATRE—Manager Graff has decided to chapter of the control of "Irucle Tom" sort; in all name—the Grand Opera Induse—in the term of "Irucle Tom" scalin" had 8. R. O. 39-May 2, their engagement closing the season.

NOTES—The Grand Opera House will be entirely redecorated and returnished during the Summer months.

Manager Graff will personally conduct the tour of Isham & Graff's Octoroons through foreign countries.

Sousa's Band is booked for the Weiting Opera House June 1. ... The following professionals are resting there, Win A. Daniels, William Murply and wife, Sig. Sautelle's Circus is billed for May 8, 2.

Buffalo.—At the Star Theatre "The Great Diamond Robbery" is this week's attraction. Irving Place German Comedy Co. May II and It. Sarah Bernhardt 13. Harry Brown had a rousing benefit 3.
LYCKEN THEATRE.—The Girl I Left Behind Me" opens to rone week.
COURT STREET THEATRE.—The Watson Sisters have the door this week. "The Night Owls" had a good date.

SHA'S MUSIC HALL.—Millaura, Norman, the Tanakas, Wright Sisters, Jno. R. Hoover, Joy Moss and Florence de Vere. WALTER L. MAIN'S CIRCUS appears at the Driving Park 11.

Troy.—At the Griswold Opera House Minnie ester appeared all last week in repertory, to good ouses. The Wilbur Opera Company came May 4-9, a start with Lester appears to the Wilbur Opera Company came May 4-9, a return visit.

RAND'S OPERA HOUSE.—Kathryn Kidder, in "Madame Sans Gene," drew big houses 1, 2, for benefit of attaches of the house. The company closed its season here. "The Gay Parisians" came 4.

GAIREY THEATRE.—The Cyrene Burlesque and Pantonime Co. did good business last week. The season closed at the house 2. The police suppressed the presentation of "Orange Blossoms" April 30.

Miscellaneous

COL W. F. CODY (Ruffalo Bill) has three cars in advance of his Great Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders, and they are painted red. white and blue, respectively. Advance car No. 1, in charge of He. Ununing, is a blue car; No. 2, in charge of Geo. Goodhart, is red, and No. 3, in charge of Fred Beckman, is white. All are under the direction of General Agent W. H. Gardner, and when they have spent one day in each stand the public for fifty miles around know Col. Cody and his great aggregation of the best crew on the road this season. Not a man imbibes in the flowing bowl, and each man does his umost to make No. 2 the record breaker of the season. This day does railroad excursions, country route, programming close, Goodhart, manager; E. H. Wood, country press agent; Geo. Neff. in charge of lithographs; Mike Manton, in charge of litho, boards; Wm. Prith, programming; Chas. Knox. boss bill poster; Fred Kohlepp, Herman, John Raymond, Chas. Hoffman, Geo. Polk, Jas. Kelley, Chas. Pratt. Geo. Rice, Al. Foas and T. A. Foster. PROF. AND MM. ZERR, magiclans, closed with Carrie Louis Repertory Co. at Scranton, Pa., last week.

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MARYLAND.

Baltimore .- "The Artist's Model" commenced Hallimore.—"The Artist's Model" commenced an engagemuet of three nights at the Academy of Music May 4, before an audience of good proportions. Lillian Lewis did but poorly, closing 2. The sale of seats for Manager Dean's benefit is progressing finely. "The Rivals," with the great star cast, will be seen at a matinee, 9. Next week, Robert Mantell.
FORN'S OFERA HOUSE.—"The Strange Adventures of Miss Brown" drew well 4, Robert E. Graham meeting with a warm reception. "Little Christopher" had a good week, ending 2. Bessie Bonehill replaced Theresa Vaughn very satisfactorily after the opening night. "Alabama" comes 11.
MUSIC HALL—The May Riccele Pasting will be held.

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MUSH: HALL.—The May Bicycle Festival will be held 5
and 6, after which the hall will be transformed into a
flower garden for two weeks of promenade concerts,
which will begin II with the Imperial Russian Tacherkess
Orchastra.

sented "A Happy statement of the company statisfactory size. "Michael Strogon courselver york" 11.

Kennan's Monunental Theatre.—A variety company opened to a fair sized house 4. Bob Fitzsimmons had a moderate week, ending 2. Sam T. Jack's Extravaganza.

WASHINGTON.

Seattle.-At the Third Avenue Theatre Milton and Dolly Nobles began a three weeks' engagement April 27, to a good house. "A Son of Thespis" was the offering, which will give way 30 to "A Man of the People," for the rest of the week. "For Revenue Only" and "From ire to Son" will be presented week of May 4. Albert Hosmer & Hattle Ross Co, gave an excellent production of "Faust," to good houses, week of 20. A. R. Wilbur's Co. begins an engagement June 1.

SKATTLE THEATRE.—Anna Eva Fay opened a three nights' engagement 7, to a big house. "Sinbad" turned people away 24, 25. "Faust" comes 1, "Pudd'nhead Wilson' 8, 9.

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Tacoma.—At the Tacoma Theatre Jas. O'Neill, in "Monte Cristo," came April 23, to a full house. "Sinbad," 24, had a packed house. Lewis Morrison, in "Faust." comes 30; "Wham." by local talent. May 2, 3; "Pudd'nhead Wilson" 7, "Mexico" 14, Roland Reed 15, Pitz and Webster 20.

NINTH STREET THEATRE—Anna Eva Fay, for week ending April 26, had good business.

ILLINOIS.

Chicago.—The coming of Mme. Bernhardt is the most important event of the last days of the season. She plays an engagement of one week at the Columbia, and in the eight performances will present as many different plays. The Summer season may be said to commence with this week, for the Temple Garden opens May 3 with a strong list of attractions, and the Schiller marks the beginning of the Summer season by a reduction in prices. The famous old Olympic passes out with the performance Sunday, 3, and will reappear next september in the same location, but in a new building, which is to be a model in its way, and an ornament to the city. As previously stated, the bookings of the Olympic will be run on the continuous and 10, 20, 30c. plan. It is well located for that business and should prove successful enough to continue on those lines, although it is an expensive house. The Ringling Circus left town Savirday night, after three weeks in the big Tattersall building. Their business was good, but not as large as last year, althas ever been given in Chicago.

COLUMBIA TREATER.—Clay Clement played a moderately successful engagement. Until a few weeks ago he was scarcely known to the play goers of this city, and, in the light of his sudden admission to popular favor, he must feel gratified at the showing he has made. For this week Mme. Bernhardt will occupy the stage, and the advance sale insures a good attendance. She open Monday evening, and will play a repertory including "Lay!". "Mangia" and "The County Fair."

GRAND OFERA HOUSE.—"An Officer of the Second" had its first production for America Saturday night, 2. There was a large and critical audience present, and opinion differed as to the probable success of the production for a long run. The piece has been elaborately staged by Eugene Tompkins, and in the cast are such well known players as Otia Skinner, who plays the pair of the young cooper Cliffs. Madeline Bouton and others.

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HOOLEY'S THEATRE.—John Drew will remain for two more weeks, which he will devote to "The Squire of Dames." The cast is the same that has been seen in the East.

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ongaged. They will present a burlesque entitled "Taphee Toophar."

Oxford Music Hall.—Marie Rostelle will continue to present burlesque where she and her company have given a good show lately. In the vaudeville list this week are Flynn and Walker, W. E. Ritchle, Any Muller, the Martien Sisters and the Bebans.

Lyckun Theatre.—The bill this week is headed by Pat Reilly, and will also include Carroll Johnson, the Bison city Quartet, the De Forrests, Sisters Velona, the Andersona, Felix and Cain, and others.

Orphicks Wisic Hall.—For this week is presented an attractive programme us which is collowing will take the company of the c

present the stage performance this week.

Konl & Middle Middle Missers — In the curlo hall the attractions this week will include Herr Schmol, Kentucky Frank and Little Fawn, with their Wild West exhibit. On the stage there will be the usual midway dance, headed by Rosa.

White's Loxbox Dime Muser's ——Humpty Dumpty has been continued for another week. In the curio hall as the curio hall been mainly with farce comsdy and comic opera companies the Columbia as long as business is good. "The David Henderson Co." incorporated, will begin a parthership in the Schiller Theatre, with Irad. La Motte, on June 1. The stage will be under charge of Mr. Henderson Co. "incorporated, will begin a parthership in the Schiller Theatre, with Irad. La Motte, on June 1. The stage will be under charge of Mr. Henderson ... A benefit will be tendered to Jessaline Rodgers, and the Columbia stock company, 15 was last good of the Corelations will be tendered to Jessaline Rodgers, and the Summer season in Omaha. Among those that he engaged with the California Operators, and the Columbia stock company, 15 was a member of "The Artist's Model" Ce. A brother of the deceased, living in Tacoma, Wash, took charge of the Femalus. Thomas E. Wade, a variety performer and manager, died April 30, at Pueblo, Col., from pneumonia. The deceased, the Roy and Clayton, Gertrude Haynes and Truly Shattuck ... Ed. Lang, Kitty Wolfe and Emma Whit, have been engaged for the Kate Emmett Co., when last fifteen years of age, was formerly shattuck ... Ed. Lang, Kitty Wolfe and Emma Whit, have been engaged for the Kate Emmett Co., when last shown on the variety performer and manager, died April 30, at Pueblo, Col., from pneumonia. The decase, dwyl was shound was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade, and was well known on the variety slage through the Wade and was well

Houston .- Sweeney and Coombs' Opera House is now closed for the season, and Manager Bergman leaves soon with his wife for a Summer tour North.

PALACK THEATER—Daisy Gordon, Johnnie Swor, Pio Williams, Willie Swor, Amy Arthur, Bessie Gamer, Chas. Innes, Tom Kelly and Jeannie Preston. Billy Klingler, formerly of San Antonio, is now proprietor of the Palace, having bought out John Cullahan's interest April 22.

Dallas.—At the Opera House "McCarthy's Mishaps" closed the season, and benefited Manager George Anny, April 27. The sale of seats was one of the largest of the year.

GEN THEATEK.—The De Novas, the Miltons, Nina Clifton, Kitta Heudrickson, Fox and Swar, Cooper and Edna, Bruce Dickson, Hess and Hunt, and Minnie Link.

CAMP STREET.—Billy Stanley, Carroll and Nealy, Leary and Hart, Lavalis Sisters, Perez, the Vernons, Alice Tiffee ED. Cisco and Nina Clifton were married March 27, at San Antonio, Tex. They are now at the Gem Theatre.

Austin.—At Millett's Opera House "McCarthy's Mishaps" closed the season April 23, to poor business. Austin is promised a new opera house for next leason's business.

TENNESSEE.

Chattanooga.-The new opera house is closed Business was better this year than last. Gentry's dog and pony show came April 27 29, giv-ng two performances a day to well filled seats and well deased audiences.

FOREIGN SHOW NEWS.

"BIARRITZ," a musical comedy, by Jerome K.
Jerome and Adrian Ross, music by Osmond Carr,
was given for the first time at the Prince of Wales
Theatre, London, Eng., April 11.
"MONSIGUE DE PARIS," a one act play, by Alicia
Ramsey and Rudolph de Cordova, was acted for
the first time at the Royalty, London, Eng., April 16.
"The Clergyman's Dalghter," a new musical
play, written by James T. Tanner, lyrics by Adrian
Ross, music by Dr. Osmond Carr, was produced at
the Theatre Royal, Birmingham, Eng., April 18.
"Lord AND LADY GUILDEROY," an original three
act comedy, by Hamilton Alde, was produced at
the Theatre Royal, Brighton, Eng., April 9.
"ZU HAUSE," a one act piece, by Georg Hirshfeld,
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"La Meute," a four act plece, by Abel Hermont, was produced at the Renaissance, Paris, Fr., April 9.

"A SISLESS SINNER," a three act domestic drama, by Marle Saker, was acted for the first time at the Lyric, Ealing, Eng., April 15.

"A NIGHT IN PARIS," a three act farcial comedy, taken from the French L'Hotel du Libre Exchange, by George Feydeau and Maurice Desvallieres, by arrangement with Chas. Frohman, of this city, was acted for the first time in England, at Newastile-on-Tyne, at the Theatre Royal, April 13.

"THE WAND OF WEDLOCK," an original three act play, by Ellen Lancaster, Wallis and Hubert Macpherson, was played first on any stage at the Grand Theatre, Cardiff, Wales, April 13.

"THE ROGUE'S COMEDY," a three act play, by Henry Arthur Jones, was acted for the first time at the Garrick, London, Eng., April 21.

"La Falatore," a three act operetta, by Armond Liorat and Maurice Ordonneau, music by Louis Varney, was rendered at the Folies Dramatiques, Paris, Fr., April 17.

"Le PERTIT MOUJIK," a three act operetta, by "Pierre Newsky" (Pierre de Corvin) and Jean Lery, music by Georges Haakman, was produced at the Bouffes Parisiens, Paris, Fr., April 16.

"MARY PENNINGTON, SPINSTER," an original four act comedy, by W. K. Walkes, was played for the first time at a matinee afternoon of April 24, at the St. James Theatre, London, Eng.

"DIE FRAUENPRAKO," a four act satire, by Elsa Yon Schabelsky, was produced at an matinee at the Adolf Ernst Theatre, London, Eng.

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A NEW PLAY.

"The Great Northwest," A melodrama, in five acts, by Herbert Hall Winslow and Will R. Willson, was acted for the first time on A melodrama, in five acts, by Herbert Hall Winslow and Will R. Willson, was acted for the first time on any stage April 20, at Miner's Theatre, Newark, N. J. The scenes of the play are laid in the Red River Valley, and the play opens at Boom City, on the day of the celebration of the completion of the Wheat Palace, and also of the first railroad in town. "Cap" Sheaf, who was elected mayor of the city on the day previous, has grown up with the town. When a little child he was found on the plains, after an indian massacre, and, having been reared by friends, he is essentially a product of the Northwest. Bart Foxwell, the defeated candidate for the office of mayor, has been Sheaf's enemy ever since he foxwell was disbarred from practicing as lawyer in the East, and came West to seek his fortune. Both are in love with Grace Harding, daughter of Judge Harding, of the town, and on the day of the celebration the engagement is announced of Mayor Sheaf and Miss Harding, and the same of the complete o

DEATHS IN THE PROFESSION.

J. N. Rohan, a musical director, died May 1, at his home, in Pittsburg, Pa., aged twenty six years. The deceased had been in the profession ten years, and had been mainly with farce comedy and comic opera companies. He was last engaged with the California Opera Co.

ver's management, in "The Ice Witch." While at that house she created the role of Magzie, in "Treasure Trove," which had a prosperous run. Upon the opening of Tanumary Hall, Jan. 4, 1898, Miss Harrison appeared as Ernest St. Pol, captam of the pages in Farnie's extravaganza, entitled "The Page's Revel, or the Summer Night's Bivousc." At the termination of that engagement she returned to the Ulympic Theatre, to play the character of Buriesque in "Humpty Dumpty," with George L. Fox as clown. She subsequently made a starring four of the principal cities in the content of the principal cities in the california Theatre. She became a great favorite on the coast and remained at the California for two seasons, during which time she played several serious roles, such as Rosa Leigh, in "Rossedale," acquitting herself witheredit. Returning East, she joined the company at the Boston (Masa; Museum, where she made a pronounced hit in the leading role of "The Little Duke." Later she became the leading feature with E. K. Rice's opera bouffs company. With her brother, Louis, she then stantial comedies. She then went to California sealing and played a season. About four years ago she was very ill with preumonia, and for three years following she was unable to act. Her last engagement was with the Camille D'Arville Opera Co. in the early part of this season. Her mother and brother Louis survive her. The remains were cremated May 3, at Fresh Pound, L. I. Mss. John SYRESON (Kale Siokes), widow of the late John Sietson, and formerly well known as a bareback rider, died May 4, at her home in Boston, Mass., from nervous prostration. The decessed, who was about hirty seven years of are, was the daughter of Spencer tider, died May 4, at her home in Boston, Mass., from nervous prostration. The decessed, who was about hirty seven years of are, was the daughter of Spencer with the F. T. Barnam Show. In the early '98, during the prostration of the stage and net with considerable success. Her firsh husband was Carl Antonya horse trainer, fro

PROFESSIONALS' BUREAU.

Wants of Managers and Performers, Open Dates, etc. See Advertisements.

DRAMATIC.

Corse Payton announces the close of his season, at Salem, Mass., May 9. His next season will open at Troy, N. Y., Aug. 3. A company of competent actors and actresses will be employed and the new plays in the repertory will be handsomely staged in every particular. Mt. Payton will consider applications for time.

W. G. Collinge wants repertory people for the Evelyn Charles.

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J. A. Parker wants attractions for May 27, at Charles
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The Actors' Fund of America will have their annual election June 2, at the Fund's Rooms, New York.

The address of Fred Marble is wanted by Mrs. Emma Floyd Mullin.

Dramatic people are wanted by Norris Bros., Charles O. Willard, Johnnie Pringle, Charles Davis, Andrew Downle, Rowland's Players, Kellain & Harper, Frost Fanshaw Co., R. Guy Caufman, Kitty Aryman, Barric Wilson Co., R. Guy Caufman, Kitty Aryman, Barric Wilson Charles Co., A. Mann, Juno Barrett Co. At Liberty Elma Cornell, Gordon McDowell, Edwin and Wilson Tanner, Will A. Pyne, Minnie Thorne, Norma Yeager, C. Carlon, Ashley Kush, J. Art. Nelson, Jack Fowler, Nellie Granville, C. Byron Archer, J. Howard Benton, Earle Craddock, Treasie Craddock, J. P. Clark, Emma Whittien,

MUSICAL.

Charles K. Harris advertises his three latest songs, entitled "When the Lights Went Ont," "There'll Come a Time" and "Better Than Gold," free to professionals enclosing six cents in stamp. These songs are in the repertory of the leading vocalists and equal in popularity Mr. Harris 'previous successful productions.

H. C. Renchard & Co. recommend their song, "Wanted, Some One to Take Me Home."

"She's the Little Girl That Loves Me" is the title of a new song issued by Justus G. Douglas, free to professionals.

"Ups and Downs of Life" and "Songs We Shall Ne'er Hear Again," two songs by Felix Mctiennon, are supplied by the Denver Music Co.

The "Blackmer Music Co. have issued "Dear Little Nan" and other successful ballads.

H. R. Mathews, musical director and planist, can be engaged.

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"Life's Game of See Saw," by L. C. Wegefarth, is being favorably commented upon by the New York press. The American Music Publishing Co, supply copies of this catchy song,
Musicians are wanted by Wallace and Calhoun, C. S. Shields, H. P. Ackerman, Chas. C. Allen, Lew Grant, Carl Clair, J. M., Gentry, A. Miller.

J. S. Coomba has published two new songs.
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VARIETY AND MINSTRELS.

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Fields & Hanson's Drawing Cards have closed their season. They will accept star engagements during May and June. Headiliters are wanted for next season.

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hows. Harry Leoni will be the sole manager of the Ladies lub Co. next season. The partnership existing between coni and Everett will be dissolved at the conclusion of

Bentham and Byrne, musical comedians, can be se

cured. Ward and Curran, the "Two Clippers," whose comedy and singing act was one of the hits with the Sam Devere show during the past season, are at liberty after May II, also for next season, when they will produce an entirely new and original act.

The Court Street Theatre, Buffalo, N. Y., is under the management of Wegefarth and Bagg. All contracts will be filled.

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Crimmins and Gore are filling a four weeks' engagement for F. F. Protor.

Specialties are wanted by E. E. Eisenbarth, Dr. Hoover, Golden Herb Cure Ca., Charles M. Murphy, W. F. Galla gher, T. Newman, Univer bark, Smith and Murdell, White and Stephens, Capt. W. D. Ament, Conjecter and Hawthurne, W. A. Patterson, Ir. Wall Mchonaid, salvail and Mariella McClintock and At kinson, David Roche's German-American Troubadours, Dancer, Frank Byron and Louise Laugdon, the Pawells, Fred. Anderton.

Circus people are wanted by Gooper 4 Co. Howard Gibson, Geo. W. Hall, Howe Brothers, E. E. Rice, Lemens Bros, L. W. Wasiburn.

J. W. Gorman's educated horse and mules can be en Lieut. W. Allen, ventriloquist, magic and Punch and July, can be engaged for the circus season.

Morris Ponies can be bouled for hunnar resurts. Edward M. Ngleon wants people for his circus.

MISCELLANEOUS.

MINCE LLAN ECUUS.

MINCE WHITE A BERGER BEACH, a new Summer resort on Long Island, which affords excellent facilities for all sorts of attractions.

H. F. S. differ his services as manager to any first class attraction or theatre, etc.

"Bill Board Advertising" a monthly journal, gives fair dates and other matters of interest to showmen.

Sam T. Jack offers four Fullman hotel cars far sale.

John A. Victor wishes to engage attractions for Arm strong Park Indianapolis. Privileges can be secured.

L. W. Seavey supplies scenery, etc.

Frank Yeager wants to kire a merry go round.

J. M. Cox wants to trade a enpronium for a set of sleigh bells.

W. F. Orr offers privileges for sale at Coles' Grove, North Adams, Mass.

W. B. Knapp, the Boston Jeweler, makes a specialty of cleaning, repairing and resetting diamond jewelry.

Ruthford wants a test, etc., by J. C. Ellis.

The Six Little Tailors invite attention to their low prices for first class choling.

A half interest iff the Detroit Bill Posting Co. is offered for vale.

Frof G. W. Stevens wants balloonists.

For Sale: Car by Prof. Gentry, U. T. outfit by Box 655, phonograph by A. T. M. B., new coon by E. J. Cotter, banners, etc., by D. F. Taylor; bicycle scarf pins by Browklyn Novelly Co., car, etc., by Frank W. Williams; tents, etc., by J. J. Murray; dog props by J. T. Benson, side show by Gold Button Bill, mazic lantern show by Hore the Colomb and Altractions are wanted for Field Day, Bennington, Vt. Rennick's New Opera House, Clinton, Hi. July Fourth celebration, Montrose, Pa.; Alexandria (Ind.) Opera House; Western Fair, London, Ont.

James L. Kernan wants female pedestrians, for two weeks, commencing June 1.

ATHLETIC.

Coming Events.

May 6-Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Swarthmore oliege vs. Lehigh University, Swarthmore, Pa. May 6-Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Lehigh University vs. Swarthmore College, South Bethlehem, Pa. May 6-Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, College of the lity of New York vs. Slevens Institute, Hotskein, N. J. May 7-Invitation femeing contest, New York Athletic

hay 9—Harvard University biennial invitation games, olines; Field, Campridge, Mass.

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May 9—Southern Association of the Amateur Athletic Inton annual championship meeting, New Orleans, La. May 9—University of Pennsylvania vs. Cornell University, annual dual games, tibaca, N. Y.

May 9—Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Harvard University vs. Princeton College, Cambridge, Mass.

Lersity vs. Crescent Athletic Class Contest, Jacky University vs. Crescent Athletic Class Policy (New York Spring games, Berkeley Oval, N. Y.

May 9—College of the City of New York Spring games, University vs. Stevens Institute, Hoboken, N. J.

May 13—Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Johns Hopkins University vs. Stevens Institute, Hoboken, N. J.

May 13—Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Frinceton College vs. College of the City of New York, Princeton, N. J.

May 13—Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Princeton College vs. College of the City of New York, Princeton, N. J.
May 15—University of New York annual Spring games, N. Y. City.
May 15—Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Harvard University vs. Nievens Institute, N. Y. City.
May 16—Union College vs. University of California, dual games, Albany, N. Y. Cholastic Association annual championship meeting, Champsign, Nay-16—Intercollegiate lacrosse contest, Crescent Athletic Culy vs. Harvard University, Brooklyn, N. Y.
May 16—New York Interscholastic Athletic Association annual championship games, N. Y. City.
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May 16—Swarthmore College annual Spring games,
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University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa.
May 16—New York University vs. Wesleyan University dual field meeting, New York,
May 20—Lacrosse match, Crescent Athletic Club vs.
Princeton College, Bay Ridge, L. I.
May 32—Schollwood County Club golf tournament,

dual field meeting. New York.

May 20—Lacrosse match, Crescent Athletic Club vs.
Princeton College, Bay Ridge, L. I.
May 20—23—Knollwood County Club golf tournament,
Elmsford, N. Y.
May 21—Intercollegiate lacrosse match, Harvard University vs. Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.
May 22—University of New York vs. Rutgers College,
initial annual games, N. Y. City.
Syring games, Berkeley Oral, N. Y. City.
May 23—Harvard University vs. University of California, dual games, Cambridge, Mass.
May 23—Harvard University vs. Cornell University, annual dual games, Cambridge, Mass.
May 23—Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Athletic Association annual championship games, Easton.
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May 39—Worcester (Mass.) City Guards open amateur games.

June 4.6—Michigan Intercollegiate Athletic Association championship field meeting.

June 6—New Jersey Interscholastic Athletic Association annual championship field meeting, Bergen Point,

June 13—New York Athletic Club open amateur Spring games, Travers Island.

June 17–19—Philadelphia Country Club golf tournament, Philadelphia, Pan.

June 17—St. James' Young Men's Christian Temperance Association games, Highland Grove, Mass.

June 30—Phornix Athletic Association field meeting, Phoenixville, Pa.

June 39.—Phoenix Athletic Association field meeting, henriville, Pas.
June 27.—Scottish Amateur Athletic Association annual eld meeting, Edinburgh.
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Júly 4—Annateur Athletic Union Individual all around
championship competition, Bergen Point, N. J.

July 4—New Jersey Athletic Club midsummer games,
dergen Point.

July 13-18- Shinnecock Hills Gulf Club, annual Bergen Point.
July 13-18.—Shinnecock Hills Golf Club amateur and
popen championships, under the auspices of U.S. Golf
Association Southampton, L. A.
Aug. 13.—Fourth Regiment, N. G. S. N. J., open amateur

ames.

Aug. 29—Philadelphia Turngemeinde annual games. Aug. 29-Philadelphia Turngemeinde annual games, Philadelphia, Pa. Sept. 5-Pittsburg (Pa.) Athletic Club annual open ama-teur games. Sept. 7-St. Andrew's Golf Club Labor Day handicap-tourney, Yonkers, N. Y. Sept. 7-New Jersey Athletic Club carnival of sports, Nature 19. int.
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Sept. 26.-New York Athletic Club annual spaces.

games, Travers Island.

Oct. 6-10.-Morrist County Golf Club women's amateur championships, Morristown, N. J.

Oct. 7-10.-St. Andrew's Golf Club annual tournaments, onen to all members of the U. S. Golf Association, Young to the County of County and County Cot. 26.—Football, University of Iowa vs. University of Kaness, Iowa City, Is.
Oct. 26.—Football, University of Missouri vs. University of Nebraska Columbia, Mo.
Nov. 3.—St. Andrew's Golf Club tourney, club championship, Reid Medal, Yonkers, N. Y.
Nov. 7.—International football contest, Purdue University vs. De Fauw University, Indianapolis, Ind.
Nov. 7.—Football, Harvard University vs. Princeton Company of Columbia, Mo.
Nov. 7.—Football, University of Kansas vs. University of Nebraska, Lawrence, Kan.
Nov. 9.—Football, University of Iowa vs. University of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.
Nov. 9.—St. Andrew's Golf Club, final handicap, for winers of all monthly handicaps, Vice President's Cup. Yonkers, N. Y.
Nov. 24.—Intercollegiate football contest, University of

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lowa vs. University of Nebraska, Omaha, Neb.
Nov. 24.—Pootball; University of Iowa vs. University of
Nebraska, Omaha, Neb.
Nov. 26.—Intercollogiate football contest, University of
Pennsylvania vs. Cornell University, Philadelphia, Pa.
Nov. 26.—Pootball; University of Kansas vs. University
of Missouri, Kansas City, Mo.

Games at Swarthmore.

The annual college handicap games were held on the campus at Swarthmore College, Swarthmore, Pa., on Saturday afternoon, May 2, the track being in good condition, the attendance of spectators satisfactory, and the contests of an interesting nature. A summary follows: One hundred yards run.—First Mattison, 97, 7yds.; sec-ond, Stevens, 39, 2yds.; Fouse, 36, lyd., dead heat. Time, 108, 5s.

Doc Snow wants medicine people, Indian Relies, an elephant si lo. etc.
Privileges can be secured at North Beach.
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L. M. Cot wants to line a merry go round.
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Our offers privileges for sale at Coles' Grove,
W. H. Khapp, the Boaton Jeweler, makes a specialty of cleaning, repairing and resetting diamond jewelry.
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Ruthford wants a tent, etc.
Furnished flats are supplied by J. C. Ellis.
The Six Little Tallors invite attention to their low prices for first class chilling.
A half interest lift the Detroit Bill Posting Co. is offered for sale.
For Sale, Car by Prof. Gentry, U. T. outfit by Box 60, phonograph by A. T. M. B. new comby E. J. Cotter, by Frank W. Williams, C. Brocklyn Novelly Co., car, etc., by Frank W. Williams, C. Brocklyn Novelly Co., car, etc., by Frank W. Williams Tuker made a fresh record before the course, he making the long hole in four on the first round.
THE athletic team of the University of California is announced to leave for their Eastern tour or Saturday, May 9, stopping first at Albany, N. Y., where they play dual games with the picked athletes of Union College on May 16, at Albany, From there the Facilite slopers will proceed to Cambridge, Mass., where they will encounter the flower of the track and field athletes of Saturday, A. A. Albany, From there the Facilite slopers will proceed to Cambridge, Mass., where they will encounter the flower of the track and field athletes of Saturday, A. A. A. B. A. B. A. B. A. Saturday, May 9, stopping first at Albany, Y. Y. Saturday, May 9, stopping first at Albany, Y. Y. Saturday, May 9, stopping first at Albany, Y. Y. Saturday, May 9, stopping first at Albany, P. Sat

The Peninsular Athletic Club is the title of a club or-ganized last week in Boston, Mass, the officers of which for the enuing year are: President, Daniel J. Kiley; vice president, J. F. Haley; treasurer, Dr. John McDon-nell; secretary, W. H. Barter.

THE RING.

ONE of the best glove contests ever given in Salt Lake, Utah, was witnessed by about six hundred spectators on April 7, at the rooms of the Salt Lake Athletic Club. The contestants were Rob Thompson (colored) and Dick Case. Thompson gave his weight as 150b, case as 180b. Case. Thompson gave his weight as 133b, case as 140b.
Case looked eight or ten pounds heavier than his given weight. Honors were even up to the fourth round, with heavy exchanges on both sides. From the fourth to the seventh round Thompson had the best of it, landing some very heavy blows on body and head. Case stood—his punishment, well, quickly recovered his strength, and be evened things up by the fifteenth round. The fight from the fifteenth to the twenty fifth round was un interesting. The twenty sixth and twenty seventh rounds were lively, and it was any body sight. From this time were lively, and it was any body sight. From this time, both men tired. In the forty third round Case rushed things, and, finding himself the stronger, started in the forty fourth to finish the mill. He went after Thompson haminer and tongs, and, getting him in a corner, put him to sleep with a right hander in the ear and an uppercut with his left. Thompson was thoroughly done, and it took several unitutes for his seconds to bring him back to the doleful consciousness of defeat. Both men were in prime condition, as evidenced by the length of the condest.

LAWN TENNIS.

Coming Events.

May 19 Southern Champtonship, at Washington, D. C. May 26 New England Champtonship, at New Haven,

'onn.
June 10 - Middle States Champtonship, at Orshge, N. J.
June 16 - National Champtonship, women's eingles,
comen's doubles and mixed doubles, at Wissahickon
leights, Pa.
June 17 - Connecticut State Champtonship, at Hartford,
june 17 - Massachusetts State Champtonship, at Long-

June 17—Ruoge Island state Championship, at Phila-dence.

June 22—Invitation Tournament, at West Newton, Mass.
June 23—Penneylvania State Championship, at Phila-delphia.

Invitation Tournament, Tuxedo (N. V.) Coun-try Club.

June 29—Pacific Coast Championship, men's singles, at San Rafael, Cal.

July 6—Canadian Championship, at Niagara on the-Lake.

sent.
July 13—Buffalo (N.Y.) Tennis Club, Open Tournament.
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July 25—Elmira (N.Y.) Tennis Club, Open Tournament.
July 25—Louigwood ,Mass.) Cricket Club, Open Tournament.

ment.
July 27—Long Island Championship, at Chicago, Ill.
July 27—Long Island Championship, at Southampton.
July 27—Denr Tournament, at Hotel Wentworth, New
Castle, N. II.
Aug. 3—Kebe Valley Club, Open Tournament, at Bar
Harbor, Me.
Aug. 3—Gpen Tournament, at Wood Park Casino, Long
Branch, N.
Aug. 3—Rochester (N. Y.) Lawn Tennis. Club, OpenTournament.

Aug. 11—National Championship for men's doubles, at

Aug. 12—Championship of Pacific Northwest, at Taco-na, Wash.
Aug. 18—Interstate Tournament for Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Misseuri, at Omaha, Neb-Aug. 18—National Championship in men's singles, inal match in men's doubles, for National Champion-thip and Interscholastic Championship finals, at New-5-International Tournament, at Niagara on the

Can.
5—Pacific Coast Championship, men's doubles, at Sept. 9 - Facilit Coast Championship, men's doubles, at San Rafael, Ual.
Sept. 7 - Sleepy Hollow Lawn Tennis Club, Open Tour-nament, at Tarrytown, N. V.
Sept. 7 - Western Pennsylvania. Championship, Men's Singles, at Pittsburg.
Sept. 15 - Pacific Coast Championship, men's doubles and women's singles, at San Rafael, Cal.
Oct. 6 - Intercollegiate Championship, at New Haven, Conn.

ON THE DIAMOND.

The crack of the bat and the whiz of the ball, The crack of the bat and the while of the ban, And the umpire's foghors shout Will now be heard, and on every hand Good men will be striking out.

The pitcher will the himself into a knot, With a flendish twist on his face, And the ball will come in, with a corkscrew curve, And a batter will fall from grace.

The catcher will stand in his armor of pads,

The catcher will stand in his armor of pads,
With a bustle strapped over his phiz.
And when a foul pops up over his head
He will struggle to see where it is.
The coachers will hug up as close as they dare
To the base lines, and cheer up the men
With hoarse cries of "Go it, Jim!" "Slide, Charlie,
slide!"
And "Now you're off! Come back again!"

Way out at right field, with the sun in his eyes,
A player will put up his hand;
The ball will come salling along through the sky—
He'll muf it—then hear the grand stand;
While Billy at short—blest child of the gods:—

While Billy at short—blest child of the gods'—
As a screaming hot liner spins by.
Will put out his hand, and by mere lucky chance,
Will gather it in on the fly!
Then, oh! what a how! from the bleachers will rise!
And Billy will take off his hat,
As if 'twere the commonest everyday thing
To capture bails hot from the bat. Yes, the crack of the bat, and the swiah of the ball, And the umpire's foghorn cry Will now be heard. And the cha

Well, we'll talk about that by and by. —Somerville (Mass.) Journal "A-BOUNDIN' AND A-BUTTIN'."

Among our real estate assessors a year or two ago was one named Deunis McKinliney. On his rounds he came to the habitation of his friend Michael Mulcahy. "Good mornin", Michael," says McElhinney. "Good mornin", Dinnis, "returns Mulcahy. "It's assissin' this mornin', I am, Mike," says the official.

official.

"Then be alsy wid me, Dinnis."

"The be alsy, Mike. I'll put yez down for tin dollars a fut. Dat will be l'irly times tin is t'ree hundred for de lot and twinty fur de goal."

"Phwat!" cries Mulcahy.

"Tree hundred fur de lot and twinty fur de goat."

"Tree hunsies goat."

"Be goat."

"It is so under the new law."

"Go 'way wid yez."

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"Go 'way wid yez."

"Assiss at its proper valuation per front foot all property a-boundin' and a-buttin' on both sides of the strate.' Many's the time I've seen your goat a-boundin' and a both sides of the strate. Twinty dollars fur de goat Mike." New York Herald.

AFRAID OF GERMS.

"Yes, I've broken my engagement with Miss Prettyman," declared Jones, sorrowfully.
"Have a quarrel over a philopena?" inquired his friend.
"Not it was no sudden decision, but the result of mature deliberation. I can never marry that girl."

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THEATRICAL. A, R L.—The closing performance at Booth's Theatre, his city, was given April 39, 1883, when Mme Modjeska not her company played "Romeo and Juliet," the occa-tion being a benefit for Andrew Boyd, who was janitor

of the house
F. W. P. Pittsford —We can recall no play forfided
poin Bayard Taylor's work. A Scotch play, entitled
Kenneth or the Weird Woman of the Glen," was proloced at Purty's National Theatre in 1832.
HELES, Taunton.—We never, in answer to queries,
urnish information concerning the domestic affairs of
refessionals. Address letter in our care.
MISICAL Facteron.—I. The publisher: 2. Not without
uvali lating the copyright. A new copyright should be
greenered.

J. C. W., Charleston.—Edwin Booth never played in ashington, D. C., after the date of the a cassination of R. M. P., Centreville.—Address letter in care of THE

R. M. F., Centreville,—Address letter in care of The CLIPPER.
P. J. McH., Centralia.—See route list in this issue.
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A READER, Wilkesbarre.—I. Any manufacturer of India rutber goods. 2. The H. H. Kille Company, 523 Broadway, New York City.
B. H., South Bend.—I. We know of no publication of that sort. 2. From thirty to fifty dollars per week.
TKNOR VOCALIST.—I. There should be some demand a forty dollars per week, or thereabouts. 2. It would depend on what you had to do. 3. About twenty five dollars per week.

week

B. Reading —Address your letter to the parties in of *The Stage*, 16 York Street, Covent Garden, Lou. W. C.

E. B. Reading —Address your letter to the parties in care of The Stage. It Over Street, Covent Garden, London, W. C.

HARLENS—The company has closed its season. Address the L. Wilsesbarre.—The copy having been destroyed, we are unable to give you the information you seek.

MRS. D. W., City Hospital.—The whereabouts of the party is unknown to us. Address letter in our care, and we will advertise it.

BROS. F. New Haven.—1. You should have at least three or four. 2. Advertise in The Chipter. 3. The "ad." would cost \$2.20 for one insertion.

A. R. Chicago.—I. 150th is the limit on all roads. 2. See No. I. Excess charges can be paid for pieces weighing all roads. 4. There is no limit to excess longage. 5. Rates differ. 6. Twenty cubic feet, about two medium sized trunks; weight is not considered. 7 and 8. Answered in previous basie.

F. BROS. Chicago.—I. We do not think you could get sufficient money for the act to pay expenses. 2. We know of no work-that will supply your need.

G. L. MCM, Rapid City.—We know of no legitimate houses that have manuscript plays to let. Beware of those the results of the pay the property of the pay the property of the pay the pay the property of the pay the pay

F. G. M. Oakdate.—Mine. Janausenes, was form in Prague, Bohemia. She made her first appearance in this country in 186; playing in German.

STUPENT, Middletown.—"Margaret Fleming" was written by James A. Herne, and is still owned by him.

AMATEK, Marion.—1. Your chances of securing an engagement are very slight, and we advise you to abundou all thoughts of a stage career. 2. There is no school that will guarantee a position upon the completion of your studies.

ACROBAT, Newark.—As beginners you would probably receive forty dollars per week.

R. J. P. Summit.—Address Norman & Evans, Lockport, New York.

ious, Pine Bluff.—Address letter in our care and will advertise it.

GUTRER —The remains of John McCullough were only
porally placed in Monument Cemetery, Philadelphia
The final interment was in Mt. Moriah Cemetery

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M. H. Lowell.—We have no means of knowing the salary paid to the late Pat Rooney at any time.

M. H. Lowell.—We have as yet received no intimation that the company is about to close. Address letter according to our route list.

C. H. F., Maiden.—The party has closed his season.

H. B. F., Rome.—As you do not state the style of your entertainment, we cannot properly advise you whom to extend the late of the late of the salary of the style of your entertainment, we cannot properly advise you whom to Reverett House, New Yorkever, write to Major Pond. Everett House, New Yorkever, write to Major Pond. Bureau, Boston, Mass.

W. S. H. Troy.—I. T. J. Farron. 2. Unknown, 3. Jacob Litt. 4. Oliver Byron. 5. Chas. T. Ellis.

M. D., Dallas.—The letter has not yet been claimed.

O. M., New Orleans.—The letter is still in our care. We do not know her present whereabouts.

J. A. H. ANO W. C., Kansas City.—George F. Bailey, the veteran circus man, is still alive, and spends his Sum. J. H. M., Brooklyn.—We have received no notice of the opening of the show. Its headquarters are in Cincinnati. CARDS.

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A. J. S. Ashtabula.—Any straight flush constitutes what some persons choose to call a "royal" dush.

W. E. New York.—In the game of pinoche a player is required to take a trick before scoring the points he may have melded, and which are standing to his credit.

S. T. B., St. Louis.—In the game of seven up, when there is a tie for game, the non dealer, or eldest hand, scores the point.

T. W., Chicago.—Notwithstanding that A made in course of play the two he bid, his opponent, with but one point to go, won the game with high, which, of course, takes precedence of all other points in the count. A had to make two in play before he could count low, lack.

K. M. G. New Orleans.—The Jack counts at once for the dealer whenever turners answer to "A. J. S."

C. E. Z., Ashtabula.—There is no difference.

R. W. N., Baltimore.—The only player in euchre who is entitled to play a lone band is the one who assumes the responsibility of the trump, by either taking it up, ordering it up or making it.

F. H., Alantic City.—R can only claim a run of three and a go for the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run off the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run off the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last card in 6, 7 and 8. He cannot make a run of the last ca

obtain.

J. H. McK., Grand-Rapids.—Anything of interest that may occur there will be acceptable.

E. H. F., Thompsonville.—Cleveland.

B. C.—I. The streets that surrounded the Old Capitoline Grounds, Brooklyn, N. Y., were Marcy Avenue on the east, Futnam Avenue on the north, Nostrand Avenue on the west and Halaey Street on the south, with the surrounded Mancock Street have been cut through the grounds, running parallel with Putnam Avenue and Halaey Street.

3. The grounds were eight hundred and fifty feel long by seven hundred and forty feet wide. 4. Those that surrounded the old Union Grounds, in the same city, were Harrison Avenue on the east, Rutledge Street on the north, Marcy Avenue on the west and Lynch Street on the south, with the main entrance on Rutledge Street.

5. Hey ward Street has been cut through the grounds, running parallel with Rutledge and Lynch Streets.

6. The grounds were six hundred and twenty five leet long is to blocks from Putnam Avenue to Lynch Street along Marcy Avenue.

F. P. M., Charleston.—A loses. The rules give the capitain of the home team.

J. W. S., Austin.—Yes.

ATHLETIC.

M. J. F., Buffalo.—The proper course to pursue in order to receive credit for record performances is to have affidavits guaranteeing the genuineness of the alleged performances signed by the regularly authorized officials who supervised the same, the documents to be forwarded to this office. There should also be a survey-of's certificate, guaranteeing that the track was full length.

nd amateur.

E. L. G., Nashville.—There is probably nothing more flective as a lotton for lameless and the ills that generally afflict. an athlete in training than witch hazel chich acts quickly.

AQUATIC.

H. W. G., Montreal.—The match between Edward Hanlan and Charles Courting which failed of consummation on the water was to have been decided on Chautaugua Lake, near Mayville, N. Y. Courting previously to the day been for the race, and Hanlan rowed over the course alone.

J. P. N. Brooklyn.—James Lee, the old Baitery oars man, died at his home in this city on April 7, 1875, aged forty two years.

B. D. Philadelphia.—The first race in American waters for the cup won by the yacht American in 1871 took place in 1870 the English yacht Cambria being pitted against a number of yachts of the New York Y. C. and the race being won by the Magic, the Cambria finishing eighth in line.

RING.

PATS, Lynn.—When John L. Sullivan defeated Paddy Ryan at Mississippi City, Miss., Feb. 7, 1882, he won the championship of America, which title had been won by Ryan when he beat the late Joe Goos.

T. J. P., Boston.—The late Johnny Dwyer, of Brooklyn, N. Y., became the American champion by defeating Jimmy Elliott at Long Point, Can., the fight lasting through twelve rounds. The battle was governed by the regular rules of the ring, which call for a fight-on turf, with bare knuckles.

R. L., Knosville.—James Corbett is still traveling with a dramatic company, personating the leading role in "A Naval Cadet." He won the boxing championship by defeating Charley Mitchell, the English champion, in Florida.

TURF.

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L. W., Anburn.—The bill referred to permits of only in lividual betting. MISCELLANEOUS.

W. & P. Armored Tire Co., Buffalo.—No account of re-ords made in that way are kept.

SUCKER, Cainden.—The firm referred to is now out of usiness. The old number was 126 Nassau Street, New

tressed in care of this onice, and the receiver the avertised. A. Altonia.—If you will inform us what sort of a C. W. Altonia.—If you will inform us what sort of a Colin it is to be we will endeavor to accommodate you.

1. And D. Yonga.—This Chipper for the current week cannot be had in thicage, III, until Thursday. The outside of the paper goes to press on Monday afternoon and the inside on Tuesday afternoon.

CHECKERS.

To Correspondents.

ELVIN BROWN.—Have written you.
P. REED—Received O K.
MAIKE—It is really too bad, but cannot be helped.
w about It to 5 the double exchange.
EN COONS.—Received with pleasure. Will give it a

careful look over.

I. S. Haza. — The half was not told.

C. D. Firkaws.— Fosition received with thanks.

H. S. Shrift.—Hope to renew our old time triendship.

Trust that you, Conway, St. Clair, Aitken and all the old timers, and new ones, too, will try to come down when Heifner comes.

News of the Game.

It is proposed by the New York Checker Club to bold an all day knock out tourney at their rooms on Decoration Day. The players of Brooklyn, Jersey Clity, Newark, New Haven, and of all clities who care to enter are cordially invited. Play will probably commence about 10 A. M. We sincerely hope that each city will be fully represented. We hope to have a grand carnival of checkers, simultaneous, blindfold, team match, and other features will be on tap all day. ... Chas. Lawson, of Providence, has formally challenged W. C. Parrow, of Boston, to play for \$25 or \$50, give or take expenses. As Mr. Lawson means business and Mr. Parrow is a strong player the match, business and Mr. Parrow is a strong player the match, business and Mr. Parrow de, to be played at Glasgow, beginning June 6. The McKelvie Searight style of play has been agreed upon. The winner is to play J. P. Reed in August. ... Willie Gardner is undoubtedly the greatest blindfold player of the present time. He recently repeated his former exhibition by playing twenty two games simultaneously blindfold, winning It, losing 4, and 7 drawn. The beauties of checkers and championship question are that each and ever one bave a perfect right to their own opinions.

Reference Board.



Solution of Position No. 9, Vol. 44.

23 7 27 23 32 28 28 24 2 11 9 13 14 17 17 13 and 23 to 19. Position No. 10, Vol. 44.



White 32 30 27 24 22 21 19 18 14 Black to play and win.

Game No. 10, Vol. 44.

CHESS.

I. Russell Genniss, Lima, Peru.—Accept our hearty thanks for the courteey of the games in your (to us) far off city, both shall have our speely attention.

Max Marksos, President Progressive C. City.—
What is the control of the pleasure it will always give us to hear from them.

Fall Gross, Quincy, Ill.—Your opinion of Prob. 20,44 is well merited; 2,062 is right; as a beginner, your inquiry about our Enigma notation is natural. Whenever a single figure only appears under a piece it means on the same file as the preceding more fully described piece; thus, the '3' you cite means Q R 3; on passing to K's wing we always indicate that fact; Enig. 2,064, Part I, appears to be correct after all, the supposed error being only in solving. We think you could get a printed code of club by laws by addressing Jas. D. Seguin, Esq., Rox 193, New Bro. Progress.—Did our trial to make connections con-

rieans. Bro. Rocers.—Did our trial to make connections con nect?

D. J. DENSMORE.—In view of what has transpired in re
"The Challenger," if you wish to say anything further,
or deem any other variation important, say on.
LARICE WILLIAMS.—All of which includes you also.

Mr. Williams solves Prob. 2,042 in 30., beating Mr. Densmore two moves, and "respectfully refers it to the author for solution in that number. The Pson Q R file are not needed." Also, take 2,015 as it stands and—never mind what, just now, as we shall repeat it. Enigma 2,045 (White P at K B 3, to be at Q B 3).—1. R to K B 8, if Q to B 6, or Kt to B 2; 2, Q to R sq. + etc.; if 1, P × Kt; 2. P to B 4 +, etc.; if 1, P to B 6; 2, Q to K 2, etc.

2, etc.
Problem 2,045 (also by nearly all; but C. S. Colby first n. — 1, Q to R so, B x Q; 2. Ki to R S, etc.; if 1. B to K t. B 6, or K 5; 2. Kt to K t. +, etc.; if 1 B to K t. 2, Q x Q B +, etc.; if 1. Kt to K 5; 2. Q x Q B; and x Q V, mate—with much more, as will appear. Dr. J. V. H. is most analytical.

Enigma 2.00		(+; 2 Q X R	r w. etc.
	OF PROBL	EM NO. 2.046.	
RY M		ORE AND WILL	IAMS.
1. K to R 6(*)	"K to B su(a	111. R to K 3	K to B 4
2. R-B 8	K-B 2	12. Q-B 3	R-B 5
3. Q-her 5	K-his 2(b)	13. Q-R 5	K-B 3
4. Kt-bis 6	K-B 3	14. Q-K 5	K-B 2
5. Q-K 5	K-B 2	115 Q-K 8	к-вз
6. Q-K8	K-B3	16. Q-K 7	K-B 4
7. Q-K 7	K-B 4	17. Q-her7	K-B3
8 R-B8	K-Kt5	18. Q-Kt7	- K-B 4
9. Q-K2	moves	119 . Kt-R 4 +.	compelling
	K-Kt5	19. R x Kt, m	ate!!

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Problem 2,047 (Dr. J. V. H.)—The White Q was on K R 5, and there was a Black Kt on K R 8—replace them. Now, K R to Kt 2 +, Kt inter.; 2. Q to K B 7 +, compelling Q X Q, mate: Good enough.

Enigma No. 2,055.



Problem No. 2,055. Dedicated to PHILIP RICHARDSON, REVISED.—BY M. EMIEE PRADIGNAT. BLACK,



WHITE White compels s

Game No. 2,055 Following is one of the most interesting games be

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	GIFOCO	PIANO.	
White,	Black,	White,	Black,
1. P to K 4	P to K 4	16. Q Kt to K 4	K Kt x Kt(!)
2 . K Kt-B 3	Q Kt-B3	17. Q B X Q	QKt x B
3. K B-B 4	K B-B 4	18. Q-K 2	QRXB
4P-Q3	K Kt-B 3	19. Q X Q Kt	P-K B 4
5. Q Kt-B 3	P-Q3	20 . P-Q R 4	P-QR4
6 Q Kt-K 2	Q Kt-K 2	21 P-K Kt 3(b	K-his 2
7 . Castles	F-K R 3	22 K-Kt 2	
8 Kt-Kt 3	P-K Kt 4?	23 P-K B 3	Kt-B3
9. P-Q B3	Kt-Kt 3	24 K R-K sq -	K-Q 8q
10P-Q4	KPXP	25 .P-Q Kt 4	P-K B 5
11. B P x P	KPXP KB-Kt3	26 . P-K Kt 4	Kt x Kt P
12 . K Kt x P	(a) RPXKt	27 QXK B P(c) Kt x P dis+
13. Q B x P	Q B-K 3	28. Q-Kt3	
14P-Q5	Q B-Q 2	29 . K × Q R	R-his 6+
15. P-K 5(8)		and White is e	xhausted.
(a) Temptin	ng, and sound,	if followed up	correctly.

reserve. White could have played \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ Q}\$ R to his \$2\$ 15. Q to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ K}\$ B 3 \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ K}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ Q}\$ \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ Q}\$ R to his \$2\$ 16. Q x \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ K}\$ is \$\frac{1}{2}\$ \text{ Q}\$ x \text{ White holds his attack with two \$P\$ ahead.}

(4) Very prettily played? Black breaks the attack, get three pieces for his \$Q\$ (including the sacrifice), and ha White in an exposed position. hite in an exposed position.

(b) A peculiar position : he must weaken his K's side to epare for Black's attack.

(c) Patal, of course; but P.X. Kt was no better, for Q R. P. +, wins, as readily appears. If 28. K to R sq. P to B.

The First Game

	of the match in	the Komme	rz Club, Rostoff e	n Don.
			KT'S GAME.	
	Herr Schiffers.		Herr Schiffers.	Mr. Steinitz.
		P to K 4	21 P to K B 4	QR to Bsq(!)
	2. K Kt-B 3	Q Kt-B3	22 K Kt-K 2	P-Q B 5
	3. K B-Kt5	K B-B 4!	23 . K B X P	Q Kt x B
	4. Castles	Q-K B 3	24 Q R x K1(f)	
	5P-Q B-3:	KKt-K2	2513-Q Kt 3	KB-Kt3+
	6 P-Q 4(d)	KPXP	26 K-R sq	Q-Kt2
	7. Q B-Kt 5 8. Q B x Kt	Q-Kt3	27 Q-B 2	QBXR
	8.QBXKt	KBXB!	28 . Kt P × B	QR-B2 QPXP
1	9.BPXP	Castles .	29. P-K 5(g)	QPXP
ı	10 Q Kt-B 3	P-Q3	30 .P-K B 5	K R-B sq
1	11 .Q Kt-Q 5	K B-Q sq	31 . Q-her 2	QRXP
١	12Q-her 3	.Kt-home	32 . P-K B 6	Q-B sq
ı	13. K B-B 4(e)	P-Q B 3	33. Q-Kt 5.	P-K R 3(h)
ł	14 . Q Kt-B 4?	Q-KR3	34 Q X K P	K R-K sq
ı	15 Q Kt-K 2	QKt-Q2	35 . Q-Kt 2	Q-Kt 5(i)
ı	16. Kt-Kt 3	Kt-his 3	36 Q-R sq	Q R-R 5!
١	17K B-Kt 3	K B-B 2	37 . P-K R 3	Q-K Kt5
ı	18. Q R-B sq	Q B-B 2	38 . K-R 2	R x P +(11)
١	19 . P-Q 5(?)	P-Q B4	39 Kt P x R	KRXKt+
j	20 K Kt-Q 4?	P-K Kt 3	40Q Kt x R	QXKt+
i	and White resi	gns.	A PARTY STATE OF THE PARTY STATE	
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(d) Black's defence seems perfectly feasible. On the whole, we should prefer for White, 5. Q Kt to B 3; and this advance does not look good, as it necessitates his next two moves, leaving Black in a good position, with a

next two moves, leaving Black in a good position, with a gain in time.

(e) B to R might have been played; and 14. Kt to K 3 set to the K.

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(v) Let a good as for the K.

(v) Leverly caught: Black must now win an advantage, however White may play.

(r) Now suffers for his incautious advances.

(v) With little chance of maintaining a defence in the ordinary way, he endeavors to win his opponent's position by first confining the Black Q, and then P to B 6.

(h) The defence of K Pwould enable White to continue his attack with 34. Kt to B 3. Black, therefore, gives up the P, only to take the aggressive again.

(f) Black innal attack is beautifully conceived; and (t) wins by force.

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In Lima, Peru, the players have recently taken lively interest in two games by correspondence between the Phoenix Club (English and American), and the National Club, native Peruvians, the former winning both. The Phoenix players were led by P. D. Daly, Dr. Vargas, and our contributor. I. Russell Gubbins; the Nationals, by Senors Laprente, Lopes Aliaga. Salcedo and Pacheco-Zagata. Both games have been courteonisty placed at Cagata. Both games have been courteonisty placed or stolen. British Ch. Mog., containing the English Schweller of No. 2,046. The author gave I. & to R 64. E. & to R

ATHLETIC.

Games at Columbia Oval.

The youthful athletes of Columbia College, this city, indulged in their annual Spring competitions at their grounds in Williamsbridge on Friday after at their grounds in Williamsbridge on Friday after-noon, May 1. The weather was rather chilly, which accounted for the unusually small gathering of spectators, while the rather poor condition of the track was responsible for the indifferent perform-ances by the runners. Summary: One hundred pards run, senior.—Won by A. Maurard, 2vds.; C. Brown, scratch, second; F. Jones, 2yds., third. Time 1bs.

scratch; Louis Gartner, scratch, second; Č. Grace, 4yds., third. Time, 125₈s.

Two hundred a divently yards run.—Dead heat between C. Brown and A. Maurard, scratch; the former won on the toss; Cecil Griffen, 4yds., third. Time, 25₂₈s.

Sevently five yards hurdle race.—Won by C. Richardson, scratch; E. Poillon, 5yds., second; C. Crow, 6yds., third. Time, 138.

scratch: E. Poillon, Syds., second; 0. Crow, 6yds., third.
Fine, 13s.

France, 13s.

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second, 361. 5½10.; A. W. Taves, Trinity School, unra, 3661. 21n. Running high jump.—Tie between C. Du Val, Brooklyn Latin School, and T. Fell, Berkeley School, at 5ft. 6in; the tormer won on the toss; W. Grace, Columbia Grammar, third, 5ft. 4in. Running broad jump.—Won by W. Pell, Cutler School, 2001. 1½10. D. G. Harris, Cutler School, second, 19ft. 8in.; H. Moeller, Columbia Grammar, third, 18ft. 7in. The total points scored by each school was as follows: Cutler, 13; Brooklyn Latin, 8; Berkeley, 8; Stevens Institute, 6; Barnard, 5; Columbia Grammar, 5; Wilson and Kellogg, 3; Plaintield High, 3; Trinity, 1; Drisler, 1.

Closing the Indoor Season.

The final games indoors of the season just closed were those held at the armory of the Eighth Regiwere those held at the armory of the Eighth Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., under the auspices of Company E and the Greenwich Wheelmen, on Friday evening, May 1. There was the usual assemblage of the relatives and friends of the athletes present, and they appeared to derive as much pleasure as ever from the contests forming the programme, as well as the hop which followed the sports. The regimental band enhanced the pleasure of the spectators quite materially. Summary:

Sixty pards rian.—Won by Martin P. Lynch, Bay Ridge A. C. 7tt.; F. Flores, St. Bartholomew's A. C., 2ft. second; P. J. Corley, New West Side A. C., 3ft, third. Time, 7s. One mile bicycle race, novices.—Won by W. B. Stage, New York City; C. Oldenstadt, Greenwich Wheelmen, second; E. Anderson, Titan A. C., third. Time, 7s. One mile bicycle race.—Won by W. E. Mosher, Riverside Wheelmen, 10tyds.; O. U. Baboock, Greenwich Wheelmen, scratch, third. Time, 2m. 393, J. Molloy, X. A. A. Stydes, Second; F. F. Goodman, Riverside Wheelmen, scratch, third. Time, 2m. 393, J. Molloy, X. A. A. Stydes, Second; F. J. Farrell, Alma A. A., third. Time, 2m. 393, J. Molloy, X. A. A., The Charles, C. J. Donovan, X. A. A., Stydes, second; J. W. Rumpf, St. George's A. C., Syds., third. Time, 3m. 1948s.

Proc miles bicycle race.—Won by W. E. Grady, Y. M. C. W., Sydes, C. J. Donovan, X. A. A., Syds., second; J. W. Rumpf, St. George's A. C., Syds., third. Time, 3m. 1948s.

Proc miles bicycle race.—Won by L. V. Meckridge, Greenwich Wheelmen, Hoyds.; J. W. Judge, Riverside Wheelmen, Olyds., second; J. The Athletes of Brown.

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The Brown University Spring field meeting was held on April 29, at the college grounds at Providence, R. I., and some creditable work was accomheld on April 29, at the college grounds at Providence, R. I., and some creditable work was accomplished during the afternoon, including the breaking of former Brown records in the hammer throw, one mile walk and two mile run, which augurs well for the university team at the annual New England Intercollegiate Association games at Worcester, Mass. Summary:

Maif wild run.—Stockwell, 29, first; Hull and Taft, '8, tied for second. Time, 2m, 24%.

Mathematic and the unity parts the first; Drawbridge, '96, second; Graves, '98, third. Time, 1948.

Mathematical and the unity parts the first; Drawbridge, '96, second; Graves, '98, third. Time, 50%.

Mathematical and forty parts run.—Gunn. '98, first; Troy, '98, second; Raymond, '99, third. Time, 50%, '99, second; Rarber, '99, third. Time, 10%.

Mathematical and the conty parts hundle race.—Barker, '99, '99, second; Rarber, '99, third. Time, 50%, '99, second; Rarber, '91, third. Time, 50%, '97, second; Troy, '98, third. Time, 28.

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Competitions in an Armory.

The second series of indoor games held by the Twenty-second Regiment Athletic Association at the armory, in this city, during the season came off on Thursday evening, April 30, the customary large on inursuay evening, April 30, the customary large assemblage, in large part composed of young laddes, being in attendance, and some excellent performances marking the generally very interesting proceedings. Summary:

One mile bicycle race, novice.—Won by J. T. H. Kenney, Company E; C. D. Barclay, Company E, second. Time, 2m. 333s.

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Severy yards run.—Won by T. A. Denham, Company H. 13ft.; P. A. Sayles, Company I. 10ft., second; A. E. Rohaut, Company E. 13ft., third. Time, 78,8.

Two hundred and twenty yards hurdle race, novice.—Won by E. J. Noll. Company E. 18c. W. Hjertberg, Company E, second; J. G. Campion, Company H, third. Time, 39%.

Quarter mile run.—G. G. Hollander, Company E, scratch, and A. L. Ford, Company D. 20, ds., a dead heat for first place: A. E. Rohaul, Company E, 20, ds., third. Time, 248. Ford won the toss up. Dr. W. E. Owens, Company E, scratch; J. W. Judge, Company H, 20, ds., second; J. T. H. Kenny, Com-any E, 100, ds., third. Time, 2m. 38-5s. Secondy gards sack race, novice—Won by E. W. Goff, Company H; F. C. Puffer, Company E, second; F. A. Walsh, Company H, third. Time, 125-8. One hundred and secondy-siz gards run, novice.—Won by H. E. Cieveland, Company I, H. E. Hutchinson, Company I, second; R. W. Scheussler, Company A, third. Time, 215-8.

by H. E. Cleveland, Company I; H. E. Hutchinson, Company I, second; R. W. Scheussier, Company A, third. Time, 215,8. W. Scheussier, Company A, third. Two miles bicycle race.—Won by W. E. Owens, Company E., secratch; J. W. Judge, Company H, 40,8. second; J. T. H. Kenny, Company E, 209,6s. third. Time, 5m. 275,8. Bayonet race, novice.—Won by J. S. Newman, Company K, R. K. Macklea, Company F, 25yds. second; J. J. Dean, Company H, 40,4. third. Time, im. 105,8. Three quarter mile run.—Won by A. F. Ford, Company D, 50,9ds; E. W. Hjertberg, Company E, secatch, second; G. G. Hollander, Company E, 50,6s. third. Time, 3m. 175,8. Okstacle race, two laps.—Won by E. W. Goff, Company H; E. W. Hjertberg, Company E, second; T. A. Denham, Company H, third. Time, im. 345,8.

Return of Princeton's Athletes.

The amateur athletes who represented Princeton The amateur athletes who represented Princeton College at the international games at Athens, Greece, with so much success returned to America on board the steamer Spree, landing at Hoboken, N. J., on Friday, May 1, and shortly afterward left for Princeton, where they were enthusiastically welcomed by a large crowd of undergraduates. When Capitaries of four sturdy football men and borne to the carriage awaiting him, amid enthusiastic cheers. Jamison, Tyler and Lane had the same experience immediately after. The Princeton triple cheer was then given for each of the four men and a "tiger" for Princeton, after which a procession was formed and the athletes were escorted to the Princeton Inn, where they lunched and received the congratulations of friends. Capit Garrett expressed himself as highly pleased with the trip in every respect. He said:

We met everywhere with the most hearty reception. The Greeks treatment of us was fairness itself, although they were greatly disappointed at the defeat of their champions. Our men were not in the best of condition when the events came off, but we did our best and have no excuses to make. The men return in fairly good condition, with the exception of Lane, and lexpect he will be in shape again within a few days. I will start them practicing with the other track men at once, and we will all take part in the annual Caledonian games to morrow afternoon. I do not think the results of the trip will affect our chances in the least in the games with Columbia and Yale.

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Vale's Invitation Sports.

The annual games held by the athletes of Yale University, for which invitations are sent to other colleges, came off at Yale Field, in New Haven, Ct., on Saturday afternoon, May 2, the interesting events forming the programme terminating as

follows:

One hundred and twenty yards run.—Won by T. R. Fisher, Yale, 3yds. Necond. Frank P. Garvin, Yale; third, Robert W. Burnet, Yale. Time, 12s.

Eight hundred and eighty yards run.—Won by A. H. Atha, Yale, 4dyds.; second, F. B. Hinckley, Yale, 3dyds.; third, Dean Sage, Yale, 4dyds. Time, 563s.

One hundred and teeraty yards hurdle race.—Won by E. C. Perkins, Yale, owe 3yds.; second, Stephen Classe, Dartmouth, owe Syds.; third, Vernon Mouroe, Haryfard, owe 3yds. Time, 164s.

One mile walk.—Won J. T. Hitchcok, Yale, 45s.; second. W. Darrach, Yale, 30s.; third, F. C. Thrall, Yale, 15s.

Two hundred- and twenty yards hurdle race.—Won by Stephen Class, Dartmouth, seratch; second.

ond, W. Darrach, Yale, 30s.; third, F. C. Thrall, Yale, 15s-Time, 7m. 17m.

Theo hundred and twenty yards hurdle race.—Won by Stephen Chase, Dartmouth, scraich; second, L. B. Sheldon, Yale, 12yds.; third, J. L. Brenner, Harvard, scraich. Time, 25s.

One mile bleycle race.—Won by Ebenezer Hill, Jr., Yale, 20yds.; second, J. S. Butler, Yale, 40yds.; third, Winsor P. French, Yale, 25yds. Time, 2m. 25s.

One mile run.—Won by D. F. Buckingham, Yale, 120yds.; second, H. R. Foote, Harvard, 30yds.; third, P. B. Spitzer, Yale, 13yds. Time, 4m. 18ys. Time, 8m.

Pole vault.—Won by C. T. Vin Winkle, Yale, scratch; second, F. R. Sturtevant, Hartford H. S., 6in.; third, W. E. Selin, Yale, 6in. Distance, 10ft, 10f

Running broad jump.—Won by R. Mitchell Jr., Yale. Ift., with 22ft.; second, Chase, Dartmouth, Sin.; third, J. G. Clark, Harvard.

Princeton's Class Championships Were contended for on Saturday afternoon, May 2, by the picked athletes of the college, with the result

shown in the summary below: One hundred yards run.—Won by berr, 37; Lane, 37, second; Jameson, 37, third. Time, 10s. quarter of a mile bicycle race.—Won by Brown, 36; Mc Farland, 38, second; Parker, 38, third. Time, 375, 5. One hundred and twenty yards hurdle race.—Won by Pope, 36; Herndon, 39, second; Axson, 37, third. Time, 175, s.

Pope, '96; Herndon, '90, second; Axson, '77, third. Time, 17'-58.
Four hundred and forty yards run.—Won by Collelt, '99; Graves, '97, second; Fordyce, '96, third. Time, 55'-58.
One mile walk.—Won by McVitty, '98; Smith, '98, second; Wyatt, '98, third. Time, Sm. 78.
One mile bicycle race.—Won by McFarland, '98; Fulton, '98, second; Parker, '98, third. Time, 2m. 39'-58.
Half mile run.—Won by Laing, '99; Hanton, '96, second; Brokaw, '97, third. Time, 2m. 58.
Two hundred and twenty yards hurdle race.—Won by Collelt, '90; Detr., '99, second; Jones, '99, third. Time, 22'-58.
One mile run.—Won by Laing, '99; Sterling, '97, second; Koeller, '99, third. Time, 25'-58.
Throwing the hammer.—Won by Rhodes, '97; Potter.
'98, second; Avrax, '99, third. Time, 4m. 59; Throwing the hammer.—Won by Rhodes, '97; Potter.

Throwing the hammer.—Won by Rhodes, '97; Potter, '98, second,' Ayres, '99; bird. Distance, 1021.
Pole vault.—Won by Tyler, '97; Trainer, '97, second; Strayer, '99, third. Deight, '97; Trainer, '97, second; Strayer, '99, third. Height, 99, 19.
Running high jump.—Won by Weber, '97; Bottger, '99, second; Hamilton and Garrett tie for third. Height 50; 7in.
Rupning broad.

St. lin. Running broad jump.—Won by Garrett, '97; Fordyce, '96, second; Mills, '96, third. Distance, 19t. fin. Putting the shot.—Won by Garrett, '97; Edwards, 96, second; Wheeler, '96, third. Distance, 36ft. 11½ in. The struggle for the point prize resulted in the success of the Juniors, who scored 44½ points, which won for them the Garrett Cup; Freshmen class second, with 33; Sophomores third, with 23, and the Seniors last in line, having made but 18½ points.

The Middletown Methodists at Play.

The annual inter-class sports of the athletically inclined students of Wesleyan University, Middletown, Ct., were held on Saturday afternoon, May 2, in the presence of a goodly crowd of undergrad-

in the presence of a goodly crowd of undergraduates and in weather that was quite pleasant. The class of '98 successfully defended the possession of the college cup. Summary:

Two hundred and twenty yards run.—Meaher, '98; Bennett, '97; Rogers, '99. Time, 25; s.

Four hundred and forty yards run.—Meeker, Rogers, Tower, '98. Time, 56; s.

Half mile run.—Tower, Bennett, Eastman, '98. Time, 2m. 198.

One mile run.—Tower, Bradford, '99; Eastman. Time, 5m. 4s.

Two miles run.—Bragdon, '99; Rile, '98. Time, 11m. 15s.

One hundred and twenty yards hurdle race.—Wyatt, '18; linkley, '98. Stevens, '98. Time, 20; s.

Hinkley, '98. Stevens, '98. Time, 20; s.

One mile watk—Chandler, '97; Whiting, '98; Stone, '97. Time, Sun. 39; s.

Pole rault.—Wyatt first. Noyes, '98, and Hinkley tied for second place. Height, 10th.

Putting 16th shot.—Noyes, Singer, '97; Searles, '96. Distance, 34tt 11in.

Throwing 16th hammer.—Noyes, Singer, Searles. Distance, 22th. 4in.

Running high jump.—Wyatt, Stevens, Hinkley. Height, 50th.

Running broad jump.-Robbins, Platt, '98. Distance, 20ft.

ACCORDING to a cablegram dated London, Eng., April 30, M. Courbortin, president of the International Committee of the Olympian Games, has written to The London Times that the games in 1900 will be held in Paris, Pr., and that for 1904 the committee will choose between New York and Berlin, Pr. A LACROSSE MATCH was contested at South Bethelem, Pa., on May 2, the teams engaged representing respectively Lehigh University and the Schuylkill Navy, of Philaeelphia, and the former being successful by a score of six goals to nothing.

The Final competitions for the college fencing championship took place at the rooms of the New York Racquet and Fencing Club, in this city, on Saturday afternoon and evening, May 2. The result was the success of the Harvard University Fencing Club, this making the third year in which the representatives of that university have succeeded in carrying off the highest honors in this pastime. The fencing was with folis, and was participated in by representatives of Harvard, the Columbia College Fencers' Club and the United States Naval Academy. The final bout was between Archibald G. Thatcher, Harvard F. C., and G. T. Kirby, Columbia College, and the contest was oclose that the judges were obliged to give the contestants two minutes additional in order to arrive at a decision.

Andrew Carnegle, of Pittsburg, Pa., has paid

thonal in order to arrive at a decision.

Andrew Carnegie, of Pittsburg, Pa., has paid \$25,000 for a plot of ground at Duquesne, near the City of Smoke, upon which he intends to have erected two handsome buildings, one of which will be a public library and the other a gymnasium and matatorium. The estimated cost of the buildings is \$150,000, and the work of construction will be commenced in a few weeks. The buildings will be free to the citizens of Duquesne and the employes of the Carnegie Steel Works.

BASEBALL.

LEAGUE-ASSOCIATION.

A Large Crowd Witnessed Brooklyn's Defeat

A Large Crowd Witnessed Brooklyn's Defeat on Their Opening Day—Other Games.

Brooklyn vs. Washington.

A fine day, a large crowd and a good game were the chief features chronicled at the opening of the major league championship season between the Brooklyn and Washington teams, at Eastern Park. Brooklyn, N. Y., April 29. All it lacked to make it a complete success in every sense of the word was a victory for the home club; still, the seventeen thousand becole who were present saw their crock team. sand people who were present saw their crack team beaten through their own misplays in the field. The work in this respect by loose fielding, and as the Washingtons took advantage of their errors by some timely batting and clever base running, they had little trouble in winning. Gumbert pitched good bail during the four innings he occupied the pitcher's position. Five safe hits were made of him and only one run earned, but the visitors added four more through errors by the home team. This gave the Washingtons such a lead that it was deemed best by the home team to make a change and Harper was substituted in the fifth inning; but he had poor command of the bail, forcing in a run in consequence of giving four men their base on bails. Then he was replaced by Daub in the sixth inning. The latter did the best work of the three, not a run being made off his pitching in the last four innings. Mercer, who did the pitching for the Washingtons, was in good shape, and was very effective, especially when men were on the bases. Besides, he received excellent support, the only error made by the visitors being a dropped foul fly by McCauley, Selbach and Abbey making some great running catchers. Rogers at third, Demont as short, and Joyce at second, also fielded finely, while Corcoran and Daly carried off the helding honors of the home team, and McCarthy-did the best batting, his two safe hits including a home run. The latter was a long drive into left centre field, that gave Brooklyn its first run.

Great preparations had been made by the management for this game. It was to be the event of the season, and from a financial standpoint it was certainly a great stucess. The grand stand was handsoniely decorated with flags of all nations, interspersed with many yards of vart-colored bunting. Conterno's Ninth Regiment Band furnished the music.—Shortly after three o'clock the band went down on the field and the two teams came from their respective dressing rooms, formed in line, and, headed by the band, marched and countermarched over the field, being loudly and enhusiastically applauded by the spectators. The club had issued a larg



Bert Wood Abbey, one of the pltchers of the Brooklyn Club, of the National League and American Association, was born Nov. 29, 1898, at Essex, Vt. He learned to play ball white at the University of Vermont, where for three years he captained its teams. He went from the University to Washington, D. C., in June 1892, and accepted his first professional engagement with the Washington Club, of the National League and American Association, taking part in ulneteen championship games that season. He signed with the Pittsburg Club; of the major league in 1893, but was allowed to play with the Macon team, of the Southern League, until Aug. 1, when the Pittsburg Club called him home and exchanged him for Gumbert, of the Chicago Club, also of the major league. While with the Macon team Abbey took part in twenty-nine championship contests, and was considered by competent judges to be

one of the best pitchers in the Southern League, He certainly pitched magnificent ball for the Macon Club. He remained with the Chicagos until July 1, 1895, when he was released, and immediately signed with the Brooklyn Club, of the same league. He did very little work in the pitcher's position for the Chicago Club during the two years he was on its pay roll, but what little he did do was satisfactory enough to keep him there. After joining the Brooklyns he did good work, but did not officiate in enough games to get a record in the official averages of the major league. He has not had chances enough thus far this season to show whether or not be will prove a winner. When the regular season closes he goes to Barre, Vt., where he acts as physical instructor at the Goddard Seminary. Heds 5ft, 10⁵, in, in height and weighs isoth, and is always in good condition.

Philadelphia vs. New York.

unite from Daly to Lachance. Mercer made the third out from corcoran to Lachance. The Brookyns went out in torcororan to Lachance. The Brookyns went out in the form of the safe to Joyce.

Harper was substituted for Gumbert in the pitcher's position in the fifth liming, and he began by giving Brown a base on balls. Joyce hit to Daly, and he threw Brown out at second to Corcoran. Joyce stole second, went to third on a wish pitches second. Selbach was given a base on balls, and the second. Selbach was given a base on balls, as was McCauley. Three men were on the bases when Rogers field out to McCarthy. For Brookyn from singled, Harper was given his base on balls, advancing Grim to second. Grithn struck out. McCarthy and the struck out. McCarthy in the stath inning Daub replaced Harper in the pitcher's position and put an end to any further run getting by the Washingtons. In the Brookyns failed to liming the secord McCarthy went tout on a fly to selbach. Grithn struck out. McCarthy went tout on a fly to selbach. Grithn struck out. McCarthy went tout on a fly to selbach. Grithn struck out. McCarthy went out on a fly to selbach. Grithn struck out. McCarthy went out on a fly to Brookyns failed to the form of the base on balls. Daub singled, scoring Corcoran and advancing Grim to second. Griffing singled and Grim sorted. McCarthy went out on a fly to Brook. Griffing Struck of the form of the for game of their series. The visitors played a good game, but were unable to check their losing streak.

They had the better of the game up to the fourth a doubt. Joyce aided materially in the success of

Baltimore vs. Washington.

The Washingtons succeeded in defeating the Bai-imores on April 28, at Baitimore, Md., after a close runs in the ninth inning, and put the result beyond a doubt. Joyce aided materially in the success of his team by making four safe hits, including a home run and a double bagger, his homer being one of the longest ever seen on the home grounds. The Baltimores made three runs in the first inning off Anderson, who was then retired and Boyd substituted. The latter was very effective, and prevented them from again taillying until the eighth inning, when they made two runs and tied the score, but the Washingtons won out in the last finning. The other long safe hits besides those already mentioned were a triple bagger by Abbey, and a two baser by Jennings. The batting of Joyce and the fielding of Joyce, Rogers, Demont, Jennings and Donnelly, were the features.

Washington, T. R. B. O. A.K. Baltimore, T. R. B. O. A.K. Baltimore, T. Baltimore, T. B. O. A.K. Baltimore, T. Bal

Philadelphia vs. Brooklyns.

Superior batting and better fielding enabled the Brooklyns to win the final game of the first series from the Philadelphias, April 28, at Philadelphia, Page 1981 Pa. Orth, who has had such a successful career in the pitcher's position since he joined the Philadelphia Club against all the major league teams except Brooklyn, was knocked out of the pitcher's position in the second inning, and was replaced by links, who fared little better at the hands of the visitors. Kennedy, who pitched for the Brooklyns, was batted hard in one inning only—the firstwhen the home team scored four runs. After that he settled down to his work and prevented his opponents from making more than a single run in the remaining eight innings. Lachance led in batting. His four hits included a home run and a double bagger. The other long safe hits were Pa. Orth, who has had such a successful career in

double baggers by Shindle, Burrell and Thompson and triple baggers by Deichanty and Grady. The batting of Lachance and the fielding of Deichanty and Thompson were the features.

BROOKLYN, T. R. B. O. A.E. PHILA. T. R. B. O. A.E. Griffin, cf. 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | Sullivan, cf. 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 |

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Anderson, ff. 5 | 2 | 3 | 0 | | Thompson, ff. 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |

Lachance, Ib 5 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 | C | Rrouthers, Ib 5 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |

Shindle, 38 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | Grady, c. 5 | 2 | 5 | 1 | 5 | 1 |

New York vs. Boston.

The New Yorks lost their third consecutive game to the Bostons on April 28, at the Polo Grounds, this city, chiefly through loose fielding and an inability to make hits count when men were on the bases. Bowen pitched his first championship game in the major league on this occasion, and did very well outside his wild throwing when the visitors had men on the bases. He was virtually responsible for

Louisville vs. Pittsburg.

The Pittsburgs had apparently little trouble in defeating the Louisvilles on April 30, at Louisville, Ky. Hill's inability to locate the home plate was the chief cause of the home team's defeat. He gave ten men their base on bails, and with clever base running, aided by timely batting, the visitors scored

Pittsburg vs. Cleveland.

The Pittsburgs succeeded in shutting out the Clevelands without a run on April 2s, at Pittsburg, Pa. It was a battle royal between Pitchers Hawley and Cuppy, in which the former excelled, twice striking his opponents out when a hit would have sent in one or more runs for them. Only four safe

The Chicagos outplayed the St, Louis team at all points on April 30, at Chicago, Ill., winning with points on April 30, at Chicago, III., winning with apparent ease. Friend pitched for the home feam, and was very effective at critical times. He appeared to ease up in the eighth inning, and the visitors batted in two earned runs. Hart did very welffur the pitcher's position for the St Louis team, but his support was poor, the errors made behind him proving costity, as the Chicagos invariable bunched their litis after errors had been made by the visitors. Everitt and Cobley led their respective feams in batting. The long safe hits were a triple bagger by Meyers, and doubles by Douglass and Evertit.

Cleveland vs. Cincinnati.

These teams met on May 2, at Cleveland, 0., after two postponements by rain on the two preceding days, in what proved to be a battle between the pitchers. Both pitchers did excellent work, the Clevelands being aided by luck in winning. Only four safe hits, including double baggers by Burkett and Young, were made off Rhines, and five singles off Young. Four of the five safe hits made by the visitors were credited to Milter, he making a safe hit each time he went to the bat. The home players were given a warm reception, the favorites being remembered by their friends with gifts of flowers.

Louisville vs. Cincinnati.

The Louisvilles were defeated by the Cincinnatis May 3, at Louisville, Ky., through their inability to the former did not make as many safe hits as the

the former did not make as many safe hits as the latter did, they made them when needed and made them count. Frazer pitched good ball, but was poorly supported. Clarke led in batting. The long safe hits were a triple baser by Dwyer and two double baggers by McFarland.

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Louisville vs. New York.

The New Yorks began their first Western trip with a victory over the Louisvilles, May 4, at Louisville, Ky. The visitors started off like winners, batted

Chicago vs. Brooklyn.

The Chicagos defeated the Brooklyns on May 4. at Chicago, Ill., after a close and exciting finish, by scoring two runs in the ninth inning. The visitors' only run was scored in the fourth inning, when only run was scored in the fourth inning, when Shindle was hit with a pitched ball, and scored on safe hits by Corcoran and Grim. Stein kept the home team down to four safe hits, scattered through eight innings, but in the ninth Lang and Ryan each singled, Truby was given a base on balls, and Anson's hard drive to right field sent in the two runs that proved enough to win. Corcoran and Lange led their respective teams in batting. The long safe hits were double baggers by Corcoran

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and Kittridge.			
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Shindle, 3b., 4 1 0 1 4 0 Truby, 2b	4 0	0 4	2. 0
Corcoran, ss 4 0 2 2 5 0 Anson, lb	4 0	1 10	0.0
Daly 2h 4 0 0 1 4 0 Flynn If	3 0	1.1	0 0
Grim, c 3 0 1 5 0 0 Kittridge, c	. 3 0	1 6	1 0
Stein, p 3 0 0 0 0 0 Griffith, p	. 3 0	0 0	3 0
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Cleveland vs. Washington.

The Washington's fell easy victims to the Cleve lands May 4, at Cleveland, O., when these teams met for the first game of their series. Boyd proved met for the first game of their series. Boyd proved any easy mark to the home team, and they took advantage of his pitching to fatten their batting averages. Wilson was also hit quite hard, but managed to keep the bits well apart, except in the first and seventh innings. Childs led in batting. The long safe hits were a triple bagger by Joyce, and doubles by Rogers, McKean, Childs, Tebeau and Wilson. The batting of Childs and the fielding of McKean were the features.

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C., 4. Umpire, Hi	urst.	Tim	6, 2.20.			

St. Louis vs. Philadelphia.

The Philadelphias won a close and exciting game from the St. Louis team, May 4, at St. Louis, Mo. Both pitchers were freely batted, but were very ef Both pitchers were freely batted, but were very effective when hits were needed. It was anybody's game until the last man went out in the last inning. Hallman was injured in the seventh inning and had to retire, Hulen succeeding him. Thompson and quinn led their respective teams in batting. The long safe hits were a triple bagger by Breitensielr and doubles by Brouthers and Quinn. The fishing of L. Cross, Parrott, Quinn, Conner and Meyers, with the batting of Thompson and Quinn, were the features.

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errors-P., 1; St. L., 2. On balls-P., 2; St. L., 1. Struc out-P., 2. Umpire, Keefe. Time, 1.40.

Cincinnati vs. Boston.

superior all around work enabled the Cincinnatis to defeat the Bostons, May 4, at Cincinnati, O., when these teams met for the first time this season. when these reams met for the first time this season. Ehret pitched a great game, allowing the visitors only six safe hits, and two of these were of the scratch order. Nichols was freely batted, especially in the first and seventh innings, when the home team made all of their runs, five of which were earned. Smith's fielding was a feature, he accepting all of twelve chances at short stop. The long safe hits were a home run by Miller and a double bagger by McPhee.

CINCINNATI, T. R.	B. O.	A.R.	BOSTON.	T. R.	B. O.	A.E.
Burke, 11 5 0	0 3	0 0	Hamilton, lf.	4 0	1 0	0 1
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Miller, rf 5 1	1 2	0 0	Lowe, 2b	4 0	1 3	5 0
McPhas. 20. 5 2	3 1	2 1	Duffy, If	4 1	1 0	0.1
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#rwin. 3b 5 1	1 1	4 0	Tucker, 1b	4 0	1 6	0 0
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Pittsburg vs. Baltimore. Eleven innings were necessary to decide the game between the Pittsburg and Baltimore teams.

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rors—B. On balls—B. 6; P., 5. Struck out—B., 5; P., 1. Jupire, Lynch. Time, 3.10.

Games to Be Played.

The Championship Record to May 4,

CLUBS.	Pittsburg	Philadelphia	Chicago	Boston	Cincinnati	Cleveland	Washington.	Brooklyn	Baltimore	St. Louis	New York	Louisville	Games won	Percentage of victories.
Pittsburg	1	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	9	.750
Philadelphia	0		-0	2	0	0	0	1	. 0	1	5	0	9	.602
Chicago	0	0		0		0	0	1	0	5	0	2	9	.643
Boston	0	1	0		0	0	0	0	4	0	3	0	- 8	.615
Cincinnati	1	0	2	1		2	0	0	0	0	0	2	8	.615
Cleveland	1	0	0	0	2		1	0	0	2	0	-0	6	.545
Washington	0	0	0	0	.0	0		4	1	0	2	0	7	.538
Brooklyn	0	2	.0	0	0	0	2		. 2	0	0	0	6	. 462
Baltimore	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	1		0	0	-0	6	.462
St. Louis	1 0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	U		0	3	6	.429
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0		-1	. 3.	.231
Louisville	0	0	1	0	0	0	U	0	0	0	0		1	.070
Games lost	3	4	5	5	5	5	6	7	7	R	10	13	78	-

DIAMOND FIELD GOSSIP.

DIAMOND FIELD GOSSIP.

Latest Sayings and Doings of the Baseball Fraternity.

The recently played championship games of the Atlantic League resulted as follow: April 28—At New Haven, New Haven, 13; Hartford, 4. At Wilmington, Paterson, 3; Wilmington, 2. At Newark, we grounds.

April 29—At Hartford, Hartford, 7; New Haven, I. At the Polo Grounds, this city, Newark, 9; Metropolitan, 5. At Wilmington, Wilmington, 6; Paterson, 4. April 39—At the Polo Grounds, this city, Metropolitan, 1; Newark, 4. At New Haven, 1. At New Haven, 1. At Wilmington, 1; Paterson, 9. Wilmington, 7. At New Haven, 4. May 2—At the Polo Grounds, this city, Metropolitan, 7; Wilmington, 6. At Newark, Newark, 9; Hartford, 5. At Paterson, Paterson, 9; New Haven, 4. May 2—At the Polo Grounds, this city, Metropolitan, 7; Wilmington, 6. At Newark, Newark, 14, Ratford, 3. At Paterson, New Haven, 7. May 3—At Newark, Newark, 14, Ratford, 3. At Paterson, New Haven, 7; New Haven, 7. May 3—At Vil, Metropolitan, 6; New Haven, 2. At Newark, Paterson, 10; Newark, 6. At Wilmington, Wilmington, 9; Hartford, 1. The standing of the clubs to May 4, inclusive, is as follows; Won. Lost. P.Ct.

Won	a. Lost.				Won.	Lost.	P.Ct.
Newark 7	4	.636	New	Haven	5	5	.500
Metropolitan, 6	4	.600	Hart	ford	. 4	6	4IR
Wilmington . 5	4	.556	Pate	rson	3	7	.300

Wilmington 5 4 556 Paterson ... 3 7 339

The recently played championship games of the TexasSouthern League resulted as follow: April 25—At Austin,
G alveston, 5; Austin, 4. At Denison, Sherman, 9; Denison, 2. At Fort Worth, Fort Worth, 6; Dallas, 1. At San
Antonio, Houston, 18; San Antonio, 12. April 25—At Austin, Augtin, 19; Galveston, 5. At Denison, Sherman, 6;
Denison, 2. At Fort Worth, Fort Worth, 5; Denison, Sherman, 6;
Denison, 2. At Fort Worth, Fort Worth, 6; April 27—At
Austin, Austin, 7; Houston, 3. At Denison, Dallas, 5;
Denison, 4. At San Antonio, 6. April 27—At
Austin, Houston, 13; Austin, 12. At Denison, Denison, 10; Dallas, 2. At San Antonio, Galveston, 15; San
Antonio, 1. At Sherman, Sherman, 1; Fort Worth, 10.
April 25—At Austin, Houston, 20; Austin, 2. At Denison,
Denison, 13; Dallas, 5. At San Antonio, Galveston, 15; San
Antonio, 2. At Sherman, Sherman, 9; Fort Worth, 6.
April 35—At Denison, Fort Worth, 4; Denison, 5. At Houston, 10; Denison, 6. At Galveston, 9; Austin, 2. At Houston, Houston, 17; Dallas, 7. May 1—At Denison, Fort Worth, 14;
Denison, 6. At Galveston, Galveston, 14; Austin, 9. At Houston, Houston, 6; San Antonio, 2. At Sherman, Sherman, 17; Dallas, 7. The standing of the clubs to May, Inclusive, is as follows:
Won. Lost. P.C.!

	Won.	Lost.	P.CL.	Won.	Lost.	P.Ct.
Houston	. 11	3	:786	Dallas 7	7	500
Fort Worth	. 10	4	.714	Austin, 5	9	.557
Sherman	. 19	. 5	.643	San Antonio. 4	10	.2%
Galveston	. 8	6	:571	Dallas 2	12	.143

The recently played championship games of the Western League resulted as follow: April 26—At Columbus, 10: Detroit, 7. At Kanasa City, Kansas City, 10: 8t. Paul, 9 (ten innings). At Milwaukee, Milwaukee, 10: Minneapolis 6 (six innings). At Indianapolis, game stopped by the sheriff. April 27—At Columbus, Detroit, 8; Columbus, 7. At Indianalis, S. 3; Grand Rapids, A. Kansas Cits, Milwaukee, 10: Minneapolis, 3. April 28—At Detroit, Detroit, 17; Columbus, 2. At Indianapolis, Grand Rapids, 3. Indianapolis, I. At Minneapolis, Tain. April 29—At Detroit, 12; Columbus, 11. At Minneapolis, Minneapolis, 12; Milwaukee, 4 (six innings). At Grand Rapids and 8t. Paul, rain. April 30—At Detroit, Detroit, 13; Columbus, 4. At Grand Rapids, 13; Columbus, 4. At Grand Rapids, 6. At Minneapolis, The recently played championship games of the West

	Won.	Lost.	P.Ct.		Won.	Lost.	P.Ct
Detroit	. 6	2	.750 St	. Paul	3	3	.50
Kansas City.	. 4	3	.571 M	ilwaukee	3	4	.42
Minneapolis	. 4	4	.500 C	olumbus.	3	. 5	.37
Indianapolis	. 3	3	.500 (G)	rand Rapi	ds 2	4	.33

The recently played championship games of the West, ern Association resulted as follow: April 26—At Burlington, Dubuque, II; Burlington, 6. At Des Moines, Des Moines, P; Rockford, 5. At Quiney, Peoria, 13; Quiney, 3. At 8t. Joseph, 8t. Joseph, 14; Cedar Rapids, 3. April 25—At Burlington, Feoria, 13; Burlington, 1. At Des Moines, Des Moines 2; Cedar Rapids, 1. At Quiney, Quiney, 9; Dubuque, 8. At 8t. Joseph, Rockford, 5; St. Joseph, 0. April 25—At 8t. Toley, Rockford, 5; St. Joseph, 0. April 26—At 8t. Joseph, 8t. Joseph, 7; Rockford, 5. April 35—At Rurlington, Peoria, 30; Burlington, 8. At Des Moines, Des Moines

	8. At Des Moines, D. Quincy, Dubuque, 12 ford, 10; 8t. Joseph, 7 30, inclusive, is as fol	: Quincy II. The standing	At St. Jos	eph, Rock
ı	Won. Lost	. P.Ct.	Won.	Lost. P.Ct.
1	Peoria 6 0	1.000 St. Jos	seph 3	3 .500
1	Des Moines 5 1	.833 Cedar	Rapids, 1	5 .167
1	Dubuque 5 1	.833 Quine		5 .167

The Eastern League championship season opened or

May 4, inch	inive.	IS BE	follow	H:			
	Won.	Lost.	P.CL.		Won.	Lost.	P.Ct
Rochester	. 4	0	1.000	Springfield.	1	2	.33
Providence	3	0	1.000	Toronto	1	2	.33
Scranton	. 2	1	.667	Wilkesbarr	e 0	3	00
Syracuse	. 2	1	.667	Buffalo	0 .	4	.00

The recently played championship games of the Virginia State League resulted as follow April 27—At Petersburg, Petersburg, 13; Richmond, 8. At Norfolk, Roanoke, 6; Norfolk, 4. At Lynchburg, rain. April 28—At Petersburg, Richmond, 6; Petersburg, 4. At Norfolk, Roanoke, 9; Norfolk, 1. At Lynchburg, Lynchburg, Lynchburg, 17-Portsmouth, 7. April 29—At Petersburg, rain. At Norfolk, Norfolk, 14; Roanoke, 4. At Lynchburg, Lynchburg, 7; Portsmouth, 6. April 39—At Richmond, Richmond, 3; Norfolk, 14; Roanoke, 4. At Lynchburg, 19; Lynchburg, 12. At Petersburg, Petersburg, 19; Lynchburg, 12. At Petersburg, Lynchburg, 22. At Petersburg, Lynchburg, 24. Richmond, Richmond, 18; Norfolk, 8. At Petersburg, 6. At Portsmouth, Roanoke, 11; Portsmouth, 10; May 2—At Richmond, Richmond, 18; Norfolk, 8. At Petersburg, rain. At Portsmouth, Portsmouth, 10; May 2—At Richmond, Richmond, 18; Norfolk, 8. At Petersburg, rain. At Portsmouth, Portsmouth, 6; Roanoke, 4. Standing of the clubs to May 2; inclusive.

Won, Lost, P.Ct.!

Lynchburg, 11 3. 780 Norfolk. 6 8. 429 Roanoke. 7; 6. ASS Portsmouth, 6 9. 440 Richmond. 6 7. 462 Petersburg, 5 8. 385

Michigan 6 / .402 retersourg 5 5
The New England League championship season began
on May I, and the games played on that day resulted a
follow: At Brockton, Brockton, 16; Augusta, 2. At Fal
River, Fall River, 7; Lewiston, 6. At New Bedford, Port
land, 6; New Bedford, 5. At Pawtucket, Pawtucket, 9
Bangor, I. May 2-At Brockton, Brockton, 9; Augusta, 6
At Fall River, Fall River, 6; Portland, 3. At New Bed
ford, New Bedford, 22; Lowiston, 5. At Pawtucket, Paw
theket, 14; Bangor, 12. May 4-At Brockton, Bangor, 14
Brockton, 5. At Fall River, Fall River, 6; Portland,
At New Bedford, Lewiston, 7; New Bedford, 6. At Paw
tucket. Pawtucket, 10; Augusta, 8. The standing of the
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1	The Pennsylvania State League championship seaso
	opened on May I, and the games played on that day re sulted as follow: At Easton, Athletic, 11; Easton, 3. A
	Lancaster, Lancaster, 15; Carbondole, 2. At Pottsville
	Shamokin, 6; Pottsville, 5. At York, Hazleton, 16; Yorl 6. May 2—At Easton, Easton, 6; Athletic, 4. At Lanca.
	ter, Lancaster, 6; Carbondale, 5. At Pottsville, Pott- ville, 11; Shamokin, 8. At York, Hazelton, 18; York,
	May 4-At Lancaster, Lancaster, 18; Hazleton, 7. A Philadelphia, Athletic, 11; Easton, 6. At Shamokin
	Shamokin, 22; Pottsville, 9. At York, York, 9; Carboi dale, 8. The standing of the clubs to May 4, inclusive,
	as follows:

J. Earl Wagner has renewed his lease of the ball grounds, at Washington, D. C., for a number of years, and that is a good sign that Mr. Wagner intends to improve his team each year until he lands a winner.

The Harvard University team made only three safe hits off Lewis May 2, at Williamsslown, Mass., the Williams College team winning by 2 to 1.

The Bown University team defeated the Yale University nine by 6 to 1, May 2, at Providence, R. I.

The Cornell University team defeated the Princetor college nine by 12 to 10, May 2, at Ithica, N. Y. The University of Vermont team defeated the Cornell University nine by 8 to 7, April 30, at Ithaca, N. Y.

and Patton in the outlield. Fortland—France and clears, Balz, Borchers, Fennimore and Gelson, pitchers; Caverly, Glenalvin and Babb on the bases; McGucken, McCarthy and one of the extra pitchers or catchers in the outlield.

Frank Lane, the well was interviewed by a baselaal remains and the state was made an easy victim of the "guying" propensities of Lane, who said that he had played ball "some" in the oild days of 1870 and 'Il, guarding right field for the Athletic team, of Philadelphia, during their first trips. Lane then "guesses" he can recall the names of the Athletic team at that time. How good (?) a "guess" he made can be seen at a tance at the following verbatim list of players: "George Zettlein, pitcher; Snyder, catcher; Abadee, first, Fields, second; der, catcher; Abadee, first, Fields, second; fill the outfield." It is perhaps, unnecessary to add that Snyder, Abadee, Fields, Addy and Lane never played with any team of the old Athletic Club, which disbanded in 1877, and that Zettlein only pitched in a few games in 1876. We suppose that "Altre" and "Fellmer" mean. Alæach and Fulmer.

F. T. Powers, president of the Eastern League, has issued the following instructions to his unpures which will govern the r work this season: Do not stop at the same hotel with the players. Allow no player other than the captain to leave his position to dispute a decision, underpenalty of a fine. In fact, no player other than the captain to leave his position to dispute a decision, underpenalty of a fine. In fact, no player other than the captain to leave his position to dispute a decision, underpenalty of a fine. In fact, no player other than the captain to leave his position to dispute a decision, underpenalty of a fine. In fact, no player other than the captain to leave his position to dispute a decision, underpenalty of a fine. In fact, no player other than the captain to leave his position to dispute a decision, underpenalty of a fine. In fact, no player other than the captain to leave the surface of the unpire of ye

peared for Mr. Freedman, the case was adjourned until May II.

The St. Joseph and Rockford teams, of the Western Association, met at St. Joseph, Mo., April 23, when the home team was defeated by a score of 5 to 0. The feature of the game was the pitching of Enderwood, of the visitors, teams med again 29, when the tables were turned, the home team winning by a score of 7 to 5. McHale, of the home team, distinguished himself by-bis brilliant fielding and timely hitting. The visitors won the last game of the series 30, by a score of 10 to 7.

Harry Decker, the ex-professional ball player, has awakened enough interest in baseball at Decatur, III, to organize a club to join the Central Illinois Association. He has signed D. C. Martin, Dick Thompson, Tom Maloney, Fred Sullivan, George Wilcox, Pat Caughlin, R. C. Gregory, Walter Moore, "Phonzy" Connelly and "Shorty" Martin. Dr. Bain Walston will also play occasionally. Harry Decker is manager. The new grounds, said to be the finest Decatur has had, was opened May 2, with the Springfield Club, of the same league.

The baseball season opened at St. Paul, Minn., April 30, instead of 23, on account of rain. Mayor Smith pitched the first ball and declared the season opened. The game was between the Kanasa Citys and the home team, and the score was 5 to 7 in favor of St. Paul.

Jack Gilroy, pitcher, lass been farmed out to Norfolk.

was between the Kansas Citys and the home team, and the score was 9 to 7 in favor of 8. Paul.

Jack Gilroy, pitcher, has been farmed out to Norfolk, Va., and John Mallarkey to Richmond. "The management of both teams wanted to buy the pitcher's release, but Mr. Wagner respectfully declined the offer. Jack Gilroy will, with proper training, make a first class pitcher. Five days notice is all the time to recall these players. The Pittsburge defeated the Chevelauds by 2 to 0, April 28 at Pittsburg, Pa. The victors made only four safe bits off Cuppy, all of which were double baggers, while the visitors made four singles off Hawley.

Andrew Freedman, president of the New York Club, was arrested on April 28, at his office, 39-41 Courtland Street, this city, on a charge of assaulting E. B. Hurst, a newspaper man. Mr. Freedman was arraigned at the Harlem Court, before Magistrate Deuel at noon, but as Hurst was not present the case was postponed until later in the day, when Mr. Freedman waived an examination. His next hearing will be before the Court of Special Sessions.

men nine by 17 to 1, April 28, at Amherst, Mass.

The Yale University team defeated the Amherst College nine by 13 to 0, April 28, at New Haven, Ct.

Hamilton Disston, who died suddenly of heart disease, April 30, at his residence in Philadelphia, Pa., was for many years a prominent and influential supporter of baseball in that city. He was the head and from to the baseball in that city. He was the head and from the first part of the famous of the last of the famous of the last of the famous of the left club for many years.

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The Portsmouth team made only four safe hits off Boy-lan April 29, at Lynchburg, Va., the Lynchburgs winning by 7 to 0.

The Genuine Cuban Giants defeated the Torrington team by 10 to 7, May 1, at Torrington, Ct.

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The Cuban X Giants defeated the Bridgeport team by 9 to 8, May 1, at Bridgeport, Ct.

to 8, May 1, at Pringeport, Ct.
Thirteen innings were necessary to decide the game
between the Portsmouth and Roanoke teams, April 39, at
Portsmouth, Va., the former winning by 10 to.
Pitcher Sexton and Catcher Holmes, of the University
of Michigan, will join Leadley's Seattle team as soon as
their college course is finished, June 1.

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The Providence team, of the Eastern League, defeated
the Brocktons, of the New England League, by 8 to 6, in
ten innings, April 28, at Providence, R.
The Dartmouth College team defeated the Harvard
University nine by 13 to 4, April 28, at Cambridge, Mass.
The Dartmouths again won on April 29, defeating Harvard by 7 to 6.
The University of Vermont team defeated the Union
College nine by 12 to 5, April 29, at Schenectady, N. Y.
The Princeton College team defeated the Labitch Union

The Princeton College team defeated the Lehigh University nine by 19 to 1, in seven innings, April 29, at Princeton, N. J.

The University of Virginia team defeated the St. John College nine by 18 to 12, April 29, at Charlottesville, Va. The University of Pennsylvania team defeated the Lafayette College nine by 11 to 7, April 29, at Philadel phia, Pa.

The Bostons played an exhibition game at Fall River Mass., April 29, the home team winning by 4 to 3. The Genuine Cuban Giants defeated the Wilkesbarre team, of the Eastern League, by 13 to 9, April 29, at Wilkesbarre, Pa.

The Amherst College team defeated the Wesleyan Col-ege nine by 5 to 2, April 29, at Amherst, Mass. The Springfield team, of the Fastern League, defeated the Bangors, of the New England League, by 21 to 15, April 29, at Springfield, Mass.

The Colgate University team defeated the Syracus University nine by 15 to 7, April 29, at Hamilton. The Denison team made only three safe hits off Country man April 25, at Denison, Tex., the Shermans winning by 9 to 2.

McAllister prevented the Dallas team from making more than four safe hits off him in a game played Apri 25, at Fort Worth, Tex., the Fort Worths winning by 6 to 1.

Rain on April 30 and May 1 prevented the Cleveland. Cincinnati games from being played at Cleveland. O, and the Louisville Pittsburg game May 1, at Louisville, Ky.

The Dartmouth College team made only four safe hits off Summergill April 30, at Providence, R. I., the Brown University nine winning by 6 to 0.

The Holy Cross team defeated the Amherst College nine by 9 to 3, May 2, at Amherst, Mass.

Inderwood prevented the St. Joseph team from making more than two safe hits off him April 28, at St. Joseph, Mo., the Rockfords winning by 5 to 0.

The University of Pennsylvania team defeated the Georgetown University nine by 13 to 12, May 2, at Philadelphia, Pa.

JAMES MORTIMER, the well known superintendent of the Westminster Kennel Club, and the very capable gen-eral manager of the annual bench show of that organiza-tion at Madison Square Garden, this city, has convenient Pacific slope, having been chosen judge at the Nacific Kennel Club's show on May 69, and also at the slow of the Seattle (Wash.) Kennel Club, May 13-16. A better se-lection for the position could not have been made.

A PIGEON SHOOTING MATCH, at twenty five live birds each, for \$50 a side, came off at the Fair Grounds at Reading, Fa. May 2, William H. Lotz defeating John E. Boyer by the close score of 23 to 22.

CRICKET.

SEVERAL GAMES Were played May 2, at Philadel phia, Pa., the most closely contested being between the Philadelphia Club and the University of Pennsylvania, the former's eleven then winning by 130 to 101, the totals of the first inning. H. L. Clark hit

aylvania, the former's eleven then winning by 130 to 101, the totals of the first inning. H. L. Clark hit hard for 49 on behalf of the winners. The best bowling feat was credited to W. Morice, of the University team, who captured four wickets for sixteen runs. The Haverford College eleven, on the same day, played the Belmont Club on the latter's ground. The collegians scored 96 in their first inning, of which J. Lester made 25 and F. Wistar 13. The Belmont Club, strengthened by J. B. King and E. M. Cregar, of the Tioga team, had made 142 for the loss of eight wickets when the stumps were drawn. Pacey, professional of the Belmont Club, A. M. Wood and J. B. King batted in fine form for their respective scores of 43, 27 and 24. J. B. King bowled three wickets for 14 runs.

A victory was scored by the Haverford College eleven, April 30, at Haverford, Pa., in their opening game of the season with the Wayne Club, which was strengthened materially by Hall, E. McCregar and other outside cricketers. The Wayne team made a total of 81 in the first linning, of which E. M. Cregar scored 25, and Braithwalte 23. The Haverford team lost three wickets for thirty-six runs, but A. Mittlin and J. A. Bewer then made a prolonged stand in partnership, purpling on 8s before Mittlin was bowled for a cleverly compiled 56, just before the call. Lester carried his bat out for 38, obtained without giving a chance. C. Hinchman, of the College team, did the best bowling, taking six wickets at the cost of thirry-one runs.

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The annual meeting of the Canadian Cricket Association was held Apri 16, at Toronto, Ont., with Major Cosby, the retiring president, in the chair. The secretary-treasurer's report, showing a balance in the treasury, was adopted, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. S. Hyman; vice presidents, K. Martin, G. Jones, H. G. Wilson, T. S. C. Saunders, and A. Browning; secretary-treasurer, J. E. Hall; assistant secretary, H. F. Petman.

JUNIOR ELEVENS of the Alameda and Pacific Clubs contended, April 19, at Alameda, Cal., the former winning by 28 to 58, the totals of the first inning. H. Bird, with 23, and J. Theobald, with 27, were the highest scorers for their respective teams. Hufferdine and Bragg led their elevens in bowling, the former taking live wickets of the Alameda team for fourteen runs, and the latter getting the last three wickets of the Pacific team at the cost of only three runs.

THE minth Australian team to visit England arrived April 24, at Plymouth. The team, managed by H. Musgrove, open May II, at \$180 effect of Park, near Brighton, having as opponents an eieven representing England, and play thirty-four games in all before closing their tour in England. It is said now that they will return home by way of the United States, playing this city, Philadelphia and San Francisco.

ELEVENS of the Manhattan Club, captained res-ELEVENS of the Mammatan Chio, captained respectively by A. Smedley and J. Adam, opened the season May 2, at Prospect Park, Brooklyn, N. Y. Smedley's team won by 89 to 45, the totals of the first inning. For the winning team J. Flannery scored 33 in capital form. H. B. Coyne and J. Adam did the best bowling for their respective teams.

AT A MEETING of the Wanderers Athletic Club, held April 27, at Halifax, N. S., it was resolved to invite the Philadelphia team to visit Halifax during the coming season for a week of cricket. Matches would be arranged between Philadelphia's representative eleven and the Wanderers, and also with the officers of the garrison.

AN ELEVEN of the Central High School, of Philadelphia's representative development.

AN ELEVEN of the Central High School, of Philadelphia, Pa., played the Linden Club April 25, on the latter's ground at Camden, N. J., opening the season in that city. The home team won by \$4\$ to 4s in an one inning game. McHale bowled nine of the visitors' wickets.

W. Ball.Y's batting and McHale's bowling enabled the Linden eleven to defeat the Albion team by 69 to 38 in an one inning game, May 2, at Camden, N. J. Bally batted cleverly for 32 before he was run out, and McHale captured six wickets at the cost of only 18 runs. only 18 runs.

A SCHEDULE of matches has been prepared, to be played by the junior elevens of the Belmont, Germantown, Merion, Philadelphia and Tioga Clubs of Philadelphia, Pa., commening June 2 and clos

ing July 3.

ELEVENS of the Germantown Y. M. C. A. and Penn Charter School opened the season April 29, at Philadelphia, Pa., the former winning by 55 to 37 in an one inning game. H. Hargraves bowled effectively for the winners.

THE second annual match between elevens representing the colleges of the United States and Canada will be played this season at Toronto, Ont.

WHEELING.

Coming Events.

May 7, 8—Healdsburg Wheelmen's annual Spring meet-ing, Healdsburg, Cal.
May 9—Smith Academy annual Spring meet, St. Louis, May 9-Second Infantry Bicycle Club meet, Fort Oma-

a, Neb.
May 9—Garden City 'Cyclers, San Jose, Cab.
May 16—Federal 'Cycle Ciub, Federalsville, Md.
May 16—Annual Holbrook road race, Philadelphia, Pa.
May 29, 30—Detroit (Mich.) Wheelmen annual meet.
May 30—Rome 'Cycler's annual Spring meet, Rome, N.Y.
May 30—Citrus Wheelmen annual Spring meet, Los Anreles, Cal.

May 30—Citrus wheemen annual representation annual meet, Harrisburg (Pa.) 'Cycle Track Association annual meet, Harrisburg, Pa.
May 30—Hobo Wheelmen annual meet, Woonsocket, R.I.
May 30—Westfield Wheelmen annual race meeting, Mid-

efield, Ct. May 30—Multnomah Bicycle Club annual race meet, May 30—R. H. Kain, Tioga, Philadelphia, Pa. May 30—Mahoning 'Cycle Club annual races, Youngs

e 3-Monadnock 'Cycle Club annual races, Keene, une 6—Kings County Wheelmen road race, five miles,

rooklyn, N. Y.
June 1, 5-Bicycle Park Association, Omaha, Neb.
June 18-Eastern Athletic Club games, River View, Md.
June 29-Rover Wheel Club, New Haven, Ct.
June 27-Kings County Wheelmen, Brooklyn, N. Y.
July 24-Dayton (O.) Bicycle club annual faces.

July 24—Dayton (O.) Bicycle club annual races. July 3-Harrisburg (Fa.) 'Cycle Track Association races. July 3, 4—Warren 'Cycle Club, Vicksburg, Miss. July 3, 4—Capital Citx 'Cycling Club, annual races, springfield, Mass. July 4—Bonoton (N. J.) Athletic Club 'cycle races. July 4—Bonoton (S. J.) Athletic Club 'cycle races. July 4—Silver Wheelmen race meeting, Denver, Col. July 4—Charlian Division meet, Petaluma, Cal. July 4—Chattanooga Athletic Association, Chattanooga, Fenn.

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July 4—Aurora 'Cycling Club, Aurora, Ill.
July 4—Citrus Wheelmen annual Summer meet, Santa
Nonics, Cal onica, Cal. July II—Riverside Wheelmen midsummer meet, New

York, 11—Kings County Wheelmen road race, ten miles, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Brooklyn, N. Y.
July 25—Latrobe (Pa.) Bicycle Club annual races.
Aug. 6—School of Physical Training meet, Silver Lake
Assembly, N. Y.
Aug. 10-15—League of American Wheelman annual
meet, Louisville, Ky.
Aug. 12—Albany (N.Y.) Bicycle Club, annual midsummer meet.

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Aug. 12—Coxsackie 'Cycling Club annual meet, Coxsackie, N. V.
Aug. 15—Albany (N. V.) Bicycle Club meet.
Aug. 15—17—International 'yclists' Association annual championship meeting, Copenhagen, Denmark.
Sept. 5—Harrisburg (Pa.) Cycle Track Association races.
Sept. 17—Kinga County Wheelmen road race, twenty-five miles, Brooklyn, N. V.

National Circuit Races.

The opening races on the National Circuit of America were held at Oakland, Cal., on Friday afternoon, May 1, fully twenty thousand persons attending. The events forming the programme re-sulted as shown in the summary that follows:

One mile, novice.—A. N. Kitchen first, C. Goodwin second, W. Aguew third. Time, 2m. 5%s.
Tree miles, professional.—J. E. E. Edwards, 60yds., first;
R. L. Long, 100yds., second; Allan Jones, 100yds., third. Time, 4m. 5/s.
Two miles, amateur.—G. H. Crafts, 90yds., first; H. W. Squires, 70yds., second; C. D. Bates, 60yds., third. Time, 4m. 53s. 4un. 53s. J. J. Grofts, 45yds., won; G. D. Gooch, J. Bores, 140yds., third. Time, 2m. 22s. J. Bores, 140yds., third. Time, 2m. 22s. J. Chem. mile, professional.—W. J. Edwards, San Jose, won; C. N. Coulter, Toledo, second; C. N. Davls, San Francisco, third. Time, 2m. 30s. Fire miles, tandem.—C. D. Bath and P. Deacon won, T. A. Schleuter and J. Kenna second, A. H. Agnew and J. H. Otey third. Time, 14m. 46\forall s.

ARRANGEMENTS for the annual century road run from Newark, N. J., to Philadelphia, Pa., were completed at a meeting of the committee in charge, held May 2. Eight checking stations were decided on, and the captains of he various clubs are requested to meet on Friday evening, May 22, the last meeting prior to the run, which takes places on June 13.

THE Ottawa (Nan.) Rowing Club held its annual meeting April 28. John Manuel was re-elected president; J. A. D. Holbrook and A. F. May, vice presidents; F. Colsen, treasurer, and S. K. Lindsay, secretary.

In the National Circuit of the League of American Wheelmen was held at Santa Rosa, Cal., on Satur-day afternoon, May 2, the track being heavy, the attendance fair and the times indifferent. Sun

mary:
Two-thirds mile.—W. F. Poster first, J. M. Campbell second, C. L. Davis third. Time, Im. 467,88.
Two-thirds mile, amsteur.—P. R. Mott first, C. D. Bates Jr. second, I. Downing thire. Time 547,88.
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Foster second, W. J. Evans third. Time, 2m. 327,88.
One mile, amsteur.—J. A. Code. 2007ds., first; Topy Delmar, scratch, second; C. D. Bates Jr., 2007ds., third. Time, 2m. 447,88.
One mile, professional.—Bert Parker, 207ds., first; J. E. Edwards, 257ds., second; Allen Jones, 509ds., third. Time, 2m. 348.
One mile.—Henry Noonan first, Ben Noonan second, C. Armstrong third. Time, 3m. 27,88.

C. Armstrong third. Time, 3m. 25,8.

THE New York Division of the League of American Wheelmen tendered a banquet to Assemblyman W. W. Armstrong on the evening of May 1, at the Hotel Savoy, in recognition of his services in securing the passage of the Bicycle Baggage bill which bears his name. About two hundred members of the League and guests were present.

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THE Albany County Wheelmen will hold their
Spring meet at Albany, N. Y., June 24. At least
two professional races will be run at this meet, one
of which will be the one mile Eastern New York
D. C. L. championship. Charles and Madeline Kilpatrick, trick riders, will be a feature of the meet.

Work on the bicycle path, between Glens Falls and Saratoga Springs, N. Y., has been commenced. Its completion will be rapidly pushed forward. The Spartan Wheelman is the name given to a new 'cycling organization in the City of Churches, having these officers: President, Charles Kramer; secretary, Percy Lent; treasurer, William Short; captain, William P. Short; lieutenant, William Winkleman.

THE Monmouth Bicycle Club has been organized at Newark, N. J., with the following officers: President, F. Wilke; vice president, C. Reed; secretary, E. Crelin; treasurer, F. Meyer.

AQUATIC.

Coming Events.

May 30—Passaic River Amateur Rowing Association annual regatts, Fassaic, N. J.

May 30—Atlantic Yacht Club annual Spring Regatta, New York Bay.

Regatts, New York, May 30—Harlem Regatta Association annual rowing regatts, New York May 30—Harlem Yacht Club open regatts, Long Island Sound.

Sound.

May 30-Indian Harbor Yacht Club opening day, spedial race for club boats, Long Island Sound.

June 16-Atlantic Yacht Club annual regatta, New York Bay.

June 20-Larchmont Yacht Club Spring regatta, Long Island Sound. June 23—Larchmont Yacht Club Spring regatta, Long Island Sound.

June 22, 23, 24—Trial races for the selection of a hair rater to defend the Seawanhaka Corinthian Yacht Club's international trophy, Long Island Sound.

June 26—Columbia Cornell-University of Pennsylvania Harvard Collegiate eight oared freshmen boat race.

July 4—Larchmont Yacht Club annual regatta; also first race of series for 34 raters and 30 footers, Long Island Sound.

July 7—Indian Harbor Yacht Club Spring regatta, special classes, Long Island Sound.

July 7, 8, 9—Henley Royal Regatta, Henley on Thames, England.

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July 18—Larchmont Yacht Club second race of series
for 34 raters and 39 footers, Long Island Sound,
July 39—Larchmont Yacht Club third race for 34 raters
and 39 footers, and special races for 21 footers and half
raters, Long Island Sound
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July 22—Larchmont Vacht Club fourth race for 34 raters and 30 footers, and special races for 21 footers and hair raters, Long Island Sound.
July 23—Larchmont Vacht Club special regatta for schooners, Long Island Sound.
July 24—Larchmont Vacht Club fifth race for 34 raters and 30 footers, Long Island Sound.
July 25—Larchmont Vacht Club regatta for all classes; also sixth race for 34 raters and 30 footers, Long Island Sound. Aug. 1-Indian Harbor Yacht Club annual regatta,

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Aug. 12, 13—National Association of Amateur Oarsmen annual regatta, Saratoga, N. Y.

Sept. 5—Larchmont Yacht Club seventh race for 34 raters and 30 footers, Long Island Sound.

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Sept. 7—Larchmont Yacht Club Fail regatta, and eighth race for 34 raters and 30 footers, Long Island Sound.

Sept. 12—Larchmont Yacht Club annual race for Larchmont Cup for schooners and consolation race for 34 raters and 30 footers, Long Island Sound.

Yale at Henley. Captain Treadway, Coach "Bob" Cook and for-mer Captains Armstrong and Johnson, on May 4 made known the names of those who had been finally chosen to represent Yale at the forthcoming annual regatta at Henley, Eng. The statistics of the eleven are appended. Mills, Whitney and Marsh will go as substitutes:

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Ralph B Treadway, '96, captain, 22yrs., 170b, 50. 11½in. He rowed on the '96 freshmen crew and at No. 7 on the university crew in 15a and 1885, b. 60. ½in. He rowed at stroke on last year's university crew.

John McC. Longacre, '96, 22yrs. 6mos., 175b, 50. Hin. He rowed at No. 4 in '93 boat and at No. 6 in '95 boat.

Philip H, Balley, '97, 22yrs. 9mos., 180b, 60. He rowed No. 3 on the '97 freshmen crew, and was substituted last year on the university crew.

James O. Rodgers, '98, 21yrs. 4mos., 178½b, 50. High. He rowed No. 5 on last year's freshmen crew.

William M. Beard, '96, 20yss., 162½b, 50. 8½in. He rowed No. 3 on the '96 freshman boat, and at the same place on the '94 and '95 crews.

Alexander Brown, '96, 22yrs., 170b, 60. 1½in.

James H. Simpson, '97, 22yrs. 5mos., 160b., 50. Hin. He rowed stroke and was captain of the '97 freshmen crew, and was substitute on last year's university crew. Paul D. Mills, '97, 19yrs. 5mos., 165b, 50. 10in. He rowed No. 3 and was captain of the '98 freshmen crew. Paul D. Mills, '97, 19yrs. 5mos., 165b, 50. 10in. He rowed No. 7 on the '98 freshmen crew.

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The Harvard University class regatta, rowed May 4, over the usual two mile course on the Charles River, at Cambridge, Mass., their second victory in the history of the college aquatics. Especial importance is attached to their victory, as in doing the distance in 9m. 28s, they shaved the course by 10s. distance in sin. 28s. they snaved the course by 16s. The seniors were touted to win, but, in spite of the fact that the freshmen lost much ground by bad steering, being at times a hundred yards out of their course, they were never headed from the start, and finished with all hands fresh. The race attracted the usual crowd of interested collegians, and was well contested throughout.

THE HALIFAX REGATTA, to be held July 28-31, in Halifax (N. S.) Harbor, is attracting considerable interest among professional oarsmen. Fred Plaisted is arranging the formation of a four to represent Boston, Mass., Geo. Hosmer, J. A. Ten Eyck, Pete Conley, Jerry Casey and one of the Breens, beling under consideration for the regular crew and substitutes. Ned Hanian is also in line with a Canadian four, to comprise, beside himself, Ed. Durnan (his nephew), J. H. Hackett and J. G. Gaudaur. All are likely to enter in the singles, there being also a likelihood of a few pair oared crews beling made up from the number.

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A. ANTHES has received from the builders a new boat, in which he expects to row against F. A. Plaisted and J. A. Ten Eyck a race for a sweepstake of \$500 for each contest, in a race from New York to Albany, N. Y., on the Hudson River, starting June 25.

June 25.

NAVAHOE, a handsome yacht, the property of Royal Phelps Carroll, came to anchor in this port April 29, after an extended cruise in Southern waters. It will be remembered by yachtsmen that she was quite successful in English waters.

THE Canadian Association of Amateur Osrsmen has decided to accept the ofter made by Brockville, Can., for a regatta to be held on the River St. Lawrence, off that port, during the middle of August.

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The Leander Rowing Club, of Hamilton, Can., at its annual meeting held April 30, chose these officers for the ensuing year: President, P. D. Crerar; first vice president, R. H. Labatt; second vice president, D. M. Cameron; second vice president, A. Jarvis; captain, John Billings Jr.; commodore, Il. Francis; secretary: treasurer, R. Colvin.

The Winthrop Wheelmen is the title adopted by the organizers of a club in Harlem, this city, last week, with the following officers: President, L. R. Smith; vice president, C. L. Matthews; secretary and treasurer, James C. Carroll; captain, J. I. Anderson.

The Jeffries Yacht Club, of East Boston, Mass., went into commission May 2, officered for the year as follows: Commodore, Elmer E. Gray; vice commodore, William D. Pigeon; secretary, Charles Brayard; feet captain, Charles L. Joy.

The Chicago (Ill) Yacht Club, at its annual meeting held May 2, chose these officers for this year: Commodore, W. A. Faulson; secretary and treasurer, Sherman Root; Judge advocate, William N. Booth; feet captain, Thomas S. Simpson.

THE Stateh Island Yacht Club was incorporated at Albany, N. Y., April 23. The directors are Charles F. Hoyer and Howard Hitchcock, of Stapleton, and Oscar E. Slater, H. C. Vanduser, and George W. Gormer Jr.

THE TURF.

Racing at the Capital.

The Spring meeting of the Washington Jockey Club, which began at Bennings, D. C., April 18,

The Eastern Season Opened.

A crowd of enthusiasts, estimated at about four thousand persons, were in attendance at Aqueduct, Monday, May 4, to witness the inauguration of running racing in this vicinity, and although con-siderable fault finding resulted from the work of Starter C. H. Pettingill, the day's sport was not marred to a serious degree, and a verdict of general satisfaction was passed by those who hold fealty to

mile and a sixteenth.

R. Bradley's b. g. Chugnut, 3, by Miracle-Annie L., 82;
12 to 1. Pywers 1

G. W. Poole's b. c. Prig. 5, 105; 11 to 5. Hart 2

Belwood's Stable's b. h. Charade, aged, 111; 2

to 1. Ballard 3

Time, 1:51.

Purse \$500, for two year old maidens, selling, half a nile.

mile.

Owner's ch. c. Free Lance, by Cavalier-Lady Alice, 110;
15 to 1.

A Lakeland's ch. g. Brighton, 107; 5 to 2. Hamilton
Owner's ch. c. Friendship, 107; 6 to 1.

Congdon S
Time, 0.51½.

A Brutal Trick.

The Bay District Track, San Francisco, Cal., was recently the scene of a dastardly attempt to defraud the betting public of thousands of dollars, as well as to cause intense suffering to the intelligent beasts, upon whom had been hazarded much coin of the realm. A telegram dated April 29 gives a detailed account of the disreputable practices as follows: In the last race on the card Frank Philips' speedy mare, Marjorle, a daughter of Iroquois, was heavily played all over the ring. Although in grand condition in the morning, the mare warmed up greatly distressed, showing signs of having grand condition in the morning, the mare warmed up greatly distressed, showing signs of having been "doped." The officials in the stand were immediately advised of her condition. All bets were declared off, and Marjorie was scratched. Owner Phillips had a veterinary make a thorough examination of the animal. The surgeon discovered that a fine silken sponge that had been skilfully inserted in her nostril had seriously interfered with the filly's breathing. Then it was remembered that on Friday the decidedly warm favorite Decision had been afflicted in a manner similar to Marjorie and had finished hast. Decision was brought out, and the veterinary, after much trouble, succeeded in removing a sponge, much saturated with mucus, from one of the distressed animal's nostrils.

Alleged Horse Poisoning.

A dispatch sent from San Francisco, Cal., May 1 reads as follows: "James Phillips, a trainer at the Bay District track, was arrested today on a charge of poisoning Gracie S. R. Torrence, trainer of Canvasback and others, is the complaining witness. vasback and others, is the complaining witness. In the complaint he alleges that Phillips and John Covington doped the mare by administering poison through a hypodermic syringe in the shoulder of the mare. The crime was committed Monday, at Bay District track, just before a race in which Gracie S, the property of John Muster, ran. Her owner liked her chances and played her to win. The poisoner travels under the nickname of "Red Jim," and hails from the South, He is in the employ of Wright Brothers, of Bakersheld, for whom he is training the colt Viking. It is hardly thought that Phillips is the fiend who put the sponges up the nostrils of Marjoire and Decision. On the ground, though, that a person who would do one is capable of the other offense he is suspected. The race track people claim to have a strong case against the accused. Covington has not been found."

The Trotting Season Opened.

Harness racing in the East was initiated for the season at Parkwille, L. I., May 2, by the Parkway Driving Club, with the first of the series of interculo cup races arranged by members of the Parkway Club and the Drivarranged by members of the Parkway Club and the Driving Club of New York. Summaries: 2.20 class, trotting
to road wagon, mile heats, two in three—Gerald. F. H.
Bedford Brooklyn, first; Star Motion second, Detective
third, Silck fourth. Time, 2.20, 2.41%, 2.21 class, trotting
to road wagon, mile heats, two in three—Baron
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Crisp, James Butler, New York, first; Pite Curran second, James Anderson third, Time, 2.22, 2.23. Special

PATRON, 4 hay hopse, foaigd in 1284, by Faisetto Patrimony, the property of Hinde & Baker, of Eikhorn. Ky,
class, trotting, professionals to drive, mile heats, two in
three—Wanda, C. E. Bedford, first; Julie second, Keno F.
hind. Time, 2.25, 2.25.

The Flyers in Kentucky.

The Kentucky Association opened its annua

Spring meeting at Lexington April 27, and has thus far enjoyed profitable patronage, furnishing in re-

Thoroughbreds in Tennessee.

The Tennesee Breeders' Association's yearly Spring meeting was inaugurated at Nashville, April 27, and has continued successfally, both from the standpoint of finances and good sport. We ap-

ed in a low average. Cephas, 2:17-, purchases of Aspole of the city for \$3.000 was the star of the sale, Ryland T., Clorine, Peerless and Moonstone being other well known horses disposed of. We append a list of those horses which were knocked down at a price in excess of \$5.00.

Bayreuth, 2:047, b. e., 1840, by Stranger, dam May Bayreuth, 2:047, b. e., 1840, by Stranger, dam May Elverston, by Ulverston; W. B. Hayes, New York.

Peerless, 2:135, pacing, b. m., 1891, by Equity, dam Lucy, by Lucifer; B. W. Duke, Philadelphia.

Lucy, by Bourbon Chief; James McCleinshan, New York, Cambridge, P. 2:184, pacing, gr. g., by Royal Duke, dam Gray Dalsy, by Lightning; H. J. Woodbury, Portland, Me.

Silverdale, 2:254, br. g., 1889, by Walkill Prince, dam Cassandra, by Cuyler; D. Valentine, Yonkers.

S. 1941, by Don Pigatro, dam Hallie B., 1941, by Don Pigatro, dam Hallie B., 1941, by Don Pigatro, dam Lalid B., 1941, by Don Pigatro, dam Lalid Priper, by Onward; Frank Wells, Philadelphia.

Right Heart, 2:25, bl. kc., 1883, by Glambetta Wilkes, dam Mantura, by Nutwood; C. H. Kavanaugh, New York.

Rubini, b. h., 1880, by Willom, by George Wilkes, dam Faroritic Chimes, Len., 1887, by Willom, by George Wilkes, dam Faroritic Chimes, Len., 1889, by Willom, by George Wilkes, dam Faroritic Chimes, Len., 1880, by Glimes, dam Favoritic, by Dun's Star; J. F. Heckwith, New York.

William, Dr. m., 1880, by Willom, dam Cornelia, by Col., Renne, 2:248, gr. m., 1880, by Glimes, dam Favoritic, by Dun's Star;

11811 RICHARN CROKER has sold his three year old colt Montauk, in Kngland, to a Mr. Sibary, who will take him out of all his engagements, one of which is for the Derby, and will put him to hurdle racing. CARNATION dropped dead in the fourth race at Forsyth, Ind., April 29.

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This Northern New York Trotting Horse Breeders' Association will hold its first Summer meet on the mile track at Glens Falls June 22-25. Two races will take place each day. The purses aggregate \$1,300. Aug. 4-7 are the dates fixed for the second meeting. Three races will be given each day. The purses are \$500 each, and there will be three stake races for one, two and three year old trotters and pacers, for which \$3M each are guaranteed. The afficers of the association are: President, G. B. Finch: secretary. W. P. Bantley; treasurer. W. A. Sherman, all of Glens Falls. The association claims to have the best pregulation mile track in the country. Ispocist Gusylkin, cance well known as a horseman, died recently, in this city. He owned Navie Cobb. 2:13%, who was the champion stailion of his time, and also owned whe dead Medium, who, with Maxie Cobb as a mate, won the leasun championship, in 2:18%, at Chicago, Ili., in 1886. By a strange coincidence Maxie Cobb, After whom the horse was named, recently committed suicide, at high home, Lincoln, Neb., because of some financial difficulties.

MINNERSHARA, a hay make for the contract of the country.

MINNEHAHA, a hay mare finance in 1865, died recently on the farm of her owner, L. J. Rose, near Los Angeles, va., she was the mother of several valuable racers, the most prominent in the list being Beautiful Bells, dam of Hinda Rose, Alta Belle, St. Bell, Rosemont, Chimes, Bell Boy, Palo Alto Belle, Bow Bells, Beingower, Bell Bird and Adbeil.

Running Races in England.

American horses made the best showing of the season, thus far, at the opening of the Newmarket (Eng.) first meeting, April 28. Pierre Lorillard started five horses in the day's events, winning one first, two seconds and one third, and having one entry run unplaced. The All Aged Selling Plate, 108 sovereigns, was won by H. E. Beddington's Sheman, Distich secret and the second and the second one third, and having one entry run unplaced. The All Aged Selling Plate, 108 sovereigns, was captured by R. Marsh's Dancing Wave, Nr. Lorillard's Draco second, Barabbas third. The First Spring Two Year Old Selling Plate, 108 overeigns, was captured by R. Marsh's Dancing Wave, Nr. Lorillard's Bersak, Brigg sec 1d, Asteria third. The Two Year Old Selling Plate, 108 overeigns, was won by Prince Soltykof's Pastoral, Lorillard's Sandia second, Lonsly 1sie third. The Visitors' Welter Plate, 108 overeigns, went to R. Hobson's The Tup, Little Rob second. Hindley third. Mr. The Visitors' Welter Plate, 108 overeigns, went to R. Hobson's The Tup, Little Rob second. Hindley third. Mr. Lorstet, 29. was made important by the running of the Two Thousand Guineas Stakes of 108 overeigns, seed, the winner turning up in Leopold de Rothschild's Sc. Fruequin, the favorite, 8 to 1; Love Wisel, 25 to 1, second, and Labrador, 17 to 1, third. The other starters were Toussaint, Dynamo, the Winter King and Buccephalus. The Mildenhall Plate of 400 overeigns, by subscription, went to Harry McCalmont's Favorsham, Prince Barcaldine second, Sait third. The Wilbraham Plate, 201 sovereigns, was captured by A. F. Cavert's Segitarius, E. Wishard's Mise Austin second, Barndor third. Pierre Lorillard's Mise Austin second, and Johl Baat third. The other starters were Ombaluina. Answingket May I, the winner turning up in the

Cellor third.

The Bretby Plate, 20 sovereigns, was won by T. Can non's Hiracome, Recorder second and Sweet Auburn non's Illustrated third.

The Brinkley Plate, 20 sovereigns, was captured by T. Jennings Jr.'s Glow, The Quack second and Mitre third.

Jockey Club Correspondence. The following correspondence has been ex-changed between the Jockey Club and the Queen-County Jockey Club:

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New York, April 29, 1886.

To THE JOCKEY CLUB: At a race meeting to be held on the grounds of the Queens County Jockey Club this month we do not intend to prohibit by any police force the exchange of moneys between persons unless for fail ure to do so we receive notice from you that you will lodge a complaint with the State Racing Commission looking to a cancellation of our license.

We have been advised by counsel that the exchange of the weak of the state of the s

Yours very truly, Thowas D. RELLY, Freedlent Queens County Jockey Club.

New York, May 1, 1986.

Thos D. Rekilly: Your letter of the 28th ult 1 sat hand The position of the Jockey Club upon the subject referred to therein has apparently been misunderstood We have never claimed that the mere fact that one party deposited money when a bet was made of itself made the transaction a criminal one. On the contrary, we have always been advised otherwise by our connect. But last year we requested the various associations not to allow the practice, simply because we feared that I might lead to a violation of the law. The law was then new and lit conservative position at the outset.

In reply to your present letter, It seems proper to say to you at this time that unless the deposit of money on making a bet at your course is a micre subterfuge, and is made a cleak for the exchange of records or memoranda or the carrying on of other forms of criminal bettling, or unless such practice brings about results which, in our opinion, are detrimental to the best interests of racing, we shall not, on that ground alone, as at lecines. You understand, of course, that your association is primarily responsible for the observation of the law on your own grounds, and that any ruling of the Jockey Club will be no protection in case the law is violated. Yours very truly, F. K. STURGIS, Secretary.

SRacing in France.

Fine weather and a large crowd marked the ra lng for rich prizes at Longchamps, near Paris, Fr., May 4. The telegraphed report says that the race for the Poule des Poulichs, of 25,000, 45,000, was won by Riposte. Boheme was second and Paloise third. There were twelve start ers. The last betting was 5 to lagainst Riposte, 12 to 1 against Boheme, and 10 to 1 against Riposte. The race for the Poule des Poulains, of 50,000, (30,000), was won by Arreau. Le Bastile was second and Ediorado third. The post olds were 5 to 2 against belorado thrid. The post olds were 5 to 2 against Ediorado.

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Thomas; nevertary, T. H. Tajhott.

Tits State Racing Commission, at Albany, N. Y., April 25, granted glicense to the Queens County Jockey Club, to hold race smeetings during the year 1866, as follows: From May 4 to May II, lackusive; From July 18 to July 21, inclusive, and from 0ct.5 to toct. 12, inclusive.

WILLIAM, H. Dujas, a veteran reinsman, died at his home in Philadelphia, Pa., May 2, aged eighty years. He had handled and trained borses since 1834 and was, in his prime, considered an adept at driving horses to their best. His son, "Budd," and a daughter survive him.

Tits FUTURITY, the richest stakes the Kentucky Association offers, this year worth \$6.200 to the winner, was run on May 2, at Lextington, Ky., and won by Ornament, the favorite, 7 to lis ridden by Bunn, with Goshen second and Mgaslow Thorpe third.

Tas Seneca Driving Park Association, of Time, 6.

ond and Meadow Thorpe third.

The Seneca Driving Park Association, of Tiffin, O., has been made defendant in an action brought by Chas. R. Bowman, of Cleveland, O., to recover \$166.66, the amount he claims due him as first money in the 2-25 trot at the meeting last October.

M. Aupt, of Paris, Fr., while at Lexington, Ky., recently, purchased ten trotting horses for shipment to his native heath. Among the lot were Catherine Lexburn, 2-14; Kilhana, 2-14; Blameless, 2-195, and Cleopatra, 2-29. Justry Manyrs, of Prescott, Can. a well known trainer and jockey, was assaulted, with perhaps fatal effect, by a person unknown, at Woodbine Park, Toronto, Can., April 28.

THE Kingston (Can.) Driving the Can. Toronto, Can., The Kingston (Can.) Driving the Can.

April 39.

THE Kingston (Can.) Driving Park Association held its annual meeting April 30, and shose these officers for this year; President, F. A. Volger; vice president, Dr. Bell, V. S.; secretary treasurer, W. M. Drennan.

Bell, V. S., secretagy repasurer, W. M. Drennar, Dr. Bell, V. S., secretagy repasurer, W. M. Drennar, This Faji Association, which will give to Terre Haute, Ind., its first running meeting, week of May 18, has secured R. O. Rankin, of New Orleans, La., as presiding Junea, and an an another of the Company of Clind, Roses, of Messphis, Tonn., and Chas. P. McLean, of Clind, Indees of the races that begin at Oakley on May 28.

This Ontario Jockey Club will open the racing season in the Dominion with its annual spring meeting at Wood bine Park, Torento, Carl S. M. S., and S. S. S., Tar Woodbridge-Behway Driving Club is the name of a new ordenians. Association, of St. Louis. Mo., has ingle of the Company of

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